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The first public official document issued by Lord Amulree as Secretary of State for Air consisted of a note on the principal provisions to be embodied in a contract with Imperial Airways, Limited, for a weekly air service in each direction between Egypt and South Africa, connecting with the existing service between England and Egypt. The note states that the route to be followed will pass through Khartum, Uganda, Kisumu, Nairobi, Tanganyika, Northern and Southern Rhodesia, and Johannesburg.

The agreement provides that the service on the northern part of the route to Kisumu (with temporary extension to Mwanza) shall commence on January 1, 1931, or as soon thereafter as possible, and that the through service over the whole route shall be in operation by about April 1, 1931, or possibly earlier. The agreement will run for a period of five years from the date of the first through service.

The Subsidy.

The maximum subsidies payable, if the regular weekly service is maintained, will be on the following decreasing scale:—

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These maxima are allocated in definite proportions to various sections of the route.

The total liability under the agreement is approximately £940,000. Of this, £670,000 will be recoverable from Governments through whose territories the route will pass and who have agreed accordingly to contribute to the cost of maintaining the service. The contribution from the United Kingdom will be approximately £270,000, in addition to the whole of the subsidy payable to the company under the England-India agreement in respect of the air transport service between England and Egypt.

Air Mail Charges.

As regards mails, the agreement provides that the rates to be paid shall be arranged between H.M. Postmaster General in the United Kingdom and the company, within the following maxima: Between London and Khartum, 12s. 6d. per pound; between London and Uganda, Kenya, or Tanganyika, 17s. 6d. per pound; between London and Northern Rhodesia, Southern Rhodesia, or South Africa, 25s. per pound.

The rates actually arranged should enable letters to be carried for an air mail surcharge (over the ordinary letter charge) of (*e.g.*) about 6d. per half-ounce between London and the East African colonies, and of about 9d. per half-ounce between London and Capetown.

Landing Places and Wireless Stations.

The Secretary of State for Air shall use his best endeavour to secure that the respective Governments concerned shall provide and maintain landing grounds for land-planes and alighting areas for sea-planes, with other facilities, at various places named—viz., Alexandria, Cairo, Assiut, Luxor, Assuan, Wadi Halfa, Kareima, Khartum, Kosti, Malakal, Shambe, Juba, Butinba, Port Bell, Kisumu (Mwanza), Nairobi, Moshi, Dodoma, Mbeya, Mpika, Broken Hill, Salisbury, Bulawayo, Pietersburg, Johannesburg: Kimberley, Victoria West, Touwas River, and Capetown.

At most of these stations wireless telegraph services will be established. Hangars will be provided at Alexandria, Kisumu, Broken Hill, Salisbury, Johannesburg, and Capetown.

The agreement provides that, if night flying is found to be advisable, the Secretary of State will use his best endeavours to obtain the necessary facilities and ground equipment (*e.g.*, portable floodlights) from the Governments concerned.

Diary of Coming Events.

To-day.
(November 20.)

Queen's Theatre: "Devil May Care."
Central Theatre: "Second Wife."
World Theatre: "Heroes of the Wild" eps. 1-5.
Star Theatre: "The Lion and the Mouse."
Majestic Theatre: "The Dance of Life."
H.K.A.D.C. presents "The Middle Watch," 9.15 p.m.
Concert at Helena May Institute, 5.30 p.m.
Cricket: Annual Match between Oxford and Cambridge, H.K.C.C. ground.
Meeting: Chinese Chamber of Commerce, 2.30 p.m.
Tea Dance: H.K. Hotel, 4.30 p.m.
Dinner Dances: H.K. Hotel and Peninsula Hotel, 8.30 p.m.
European Mail.—Inward: Europe *viâ* Suez (Kalyan). Outward: Europe *viâ* Siberia (Asama Maru), 8.30 a.m.

Friday.
(November 21.)

Queen's Theatre: "Devil May Care."
Central Theatre: "Second Wife."
World Theatre: "Heroes of the Wild" eps. 1-5.
Star Theatre: "The Lion and the Mouse."
Majestic Theatre: "The Dance of Life."
H.K.A.D.C. presents "The Middle Watch."
Auction by Lammert Bros. of Household Furniture at 35, Humphreys Bldg., Kowloon, 11 a.m.
Tennis: Final of Ladies' Championship at U.S.R.C., 3.30 p.m.
Polo: H.K. Polo Club *v.* Green Howards.
European Mail:—Outward: Europe *viâ* Siberia (Kalyan), 2.30 p.m.
Tea Dance: H.K. Hotel, 4.30 p.m.
Dinner Dances: Peninsula Hotel and H.K. Hotel, 8.30 p.m.

Saturday.
(November 22.)

Queen's Theatre: "Devil May Care."
Central Theatre: "The Wild Party."
World Theatre: "Heroes of the Wild" eps. 6-10.
Star Theatre: "The Lion and the Mouse."
Cricket:—1st Div.: C.S.C.C. *v.* H.K.C.C. (F.). 2nd Div.: Police *v.* I.R.C. (L.); Recreio *v.* Craigengower (F.); H.K.C.C. *v.* C.S.C.C. (F.)
Tennis: Open Mixed Doubles Championship Final at C.R.C. ground, 3.30 p.m.
Football:—1st Div. (League): Kowloon *v.* R.A. (Kowloon ground), Navy *v.* Club (Navy), Recreio *v.* S.W.B. (Recreio), Argylls *v.* South China (Sookunpoo). 2nd Div.: University *v.* Argylls (Chinese), Navy *v.* Kowloon (Navy), St. Jos. *v.* Recreio (St. Joseph's), S. China *v.* Club (Caroline Hill). 3rd Div.: R.A.S.C. *v.* R.E. (Chatham Road), R.A.O.C. *v.* R.A.F. (Chinese), Ewo *v.* S. China (St. Joseph's).
Tea Dances H.K. Hotel and Peninsula Hotel, 4.30 p.m.
Dinner Dance: Peninsula Hotel and Repulse Bay Hotel, 8.30 p.m.
European Mail:—Outward: Europe *viâ* Marseilles (Karmala), 10.30 a.m.

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RADIO FEATURES

CHOOSING RADIO BATTERIES.

LOW-TENSION ACCUMULATORS.

PRACTICAL HINTS ON THEIR SELECTION.

During the course of three or four years the average amateur spends much more on buying H.T. batteries than he does on accumulators for supplying low tension. But I think most of us will agree that the accumulator is the greater nuisance.

Having bought an H.T. battery and connected it to the set, apart from an occasional voltage test, it gives no trouble at all, until, after some months, it begins to run down, and the question of replacement arises.

Leclanchés for L.T.

But as well as the necessity of periodical tests, the accumulator also requires periodical charging and topping up and cleaning. However, if the mains are not available for supplying L.T. an accumulator is generally regarded as being essential, that is, at least, for larger sets.

An alternative that is well worth considering in the case of smaller receivers is the primary battery, and this can take the form of either a dry battery, similar in all respects except in size to an H.T. battery, although, of course, only the two or three cells are needed, or a wet type of Leclanche cell.

These really are propositions well worth considering, but only, in the case of smaller sets. Where the total current required for the filaments of the valves is not above, say, half an ampere, a primary cell may even prove to be an economical proposition. Certainly this may well be so where a two-valver employing only two .1 valves is concerned.

The ordinary Leclanche, such as is used for supplying current for house bells, will not do the job properly, and there are several firms that market wet type Leclanche batteries specially designed for radio purposes.

Another Alternative.

You want two cells to supply one or two two-volt valves, and as the pressure developed by such a battery will be three volts a filament theostat is necessary. Where anything above about a quarter of an amp. is required it is a good plan to have paralleled cells.

Complete batteries can be purchased in stout wooden cases. Naturally they are fairly large and fairly heavy, but they will give good service up to six months or even longer with very little voltage variation. And after that new elements can be obtained at quite reasonable prices to bring the batteries up to scratch again. Batteries of this kind should prove of considerable interest to country listeners.

Even if you have the mains, despite its disadvantages, there is a lot to be said for the use of a small accumulator, trickle charged.

The first thing one has to do when one goes about buying a L. T. accumulator is to determine exactly what sort one requires for the job. It is not a good principle to buy the largest capacity one can afford. Always aim to buy a battery that will last just over the month for every charge.

It is convenient to get an accumulator charged regularly every month, for it is an interval of time that is easily remembered. Also, the beginning of the month especially always seems to bring with it many other things that have to be done.

One does not want to buy an accumulator that will last more than one month per charge, for regular charging is essential for the good health of the battery. One should work out, approximately, how many hours of listening, or hours of accumulator use, are likely to happen in a month.

I do not suppose many people listen for longer than an average of three hours per day over the whole of the month, so a hundred hours ought to cover such a period, although a very keen amateur, who does a great deal of experimenting, may impose a greater demand on L.T. than that.

Always Allow Margins.

However, he can always keep a log for a few weeks in order to arrive at a fairly accurate calculation.

The next thing to do is to find out how much L.T. current the set takes. You will get a close enough figure if you add the rated consumptions of the valves together.

Supposing the set in question is a four valver, employing three valves rated at .1 amp. and one at .25. This gives you a total of .55 amperes. To get at the ampere-hour consumption of that set over 100 hours multiply the hundred by .55. The answer is 55.

Thus, you see, our four-valver will need an accumulator capable of an output of 55 ampere hours.

That is not a usual rating, but 60 ampere hours is to be found in all accumulator catalogues, and the extra five is a nice little margin.

By the way, you should never work down to the last ounce of an accumulator. And in a paper calculation one must always allow for practical discrepancies: in this particular instance the valves may be taking just a little over their specifications.

The voltage your accumulator should give depends, of course, upon the voltage rating of the valves. Nowadays battery valves are almost completely confined to two- and six-volt ratings. (Four volts is a common rating for mains valves.)

Remember This.

Having determined the ampere-hour capacity required, make sure that you buy an accumulator that is rated at the needed figure for an output of a continuous nature approximating the consumption of your set.

That sounds a little involved; let us look at it in detail. The example we have taken shows an accumulator of sixty ampere-hours is required. That is to say, an accumulator which will give .55 amperes for a period of 100 hours with a few hours of service to spare as a margin.

It is unlikely that you will come across an accumulator that has its ampere-hour capacity rating based on an output of exactly .55 amperes.

A Variable Factor.

You see, the capacity of accumulator varies with its output. An accumulator that is rated as having a capacity of 60 ampere-hours should, theoretically, give you one ampere of current for sixty hours; two amperes of current for thirty hours or sixty amperes for one hour, or in fact any current for any number of hours the sum of which is sixty.

But in actual practice we find that the capacity of an accumulator will vary with its output. Generally speaking, the smaller the current you take away from an accumulator, the longer it will last per charge and that is the reason for the two ratings that you come up against in accumulators, that is, "Ignition" and "Actual."

The ignition rating refers to the capacity of an accumulator to give small currents at intermittent bursts, as in running the ignition coil of a motor-car. The actual capacity of an accumulator is its capacity to supply current of a period.

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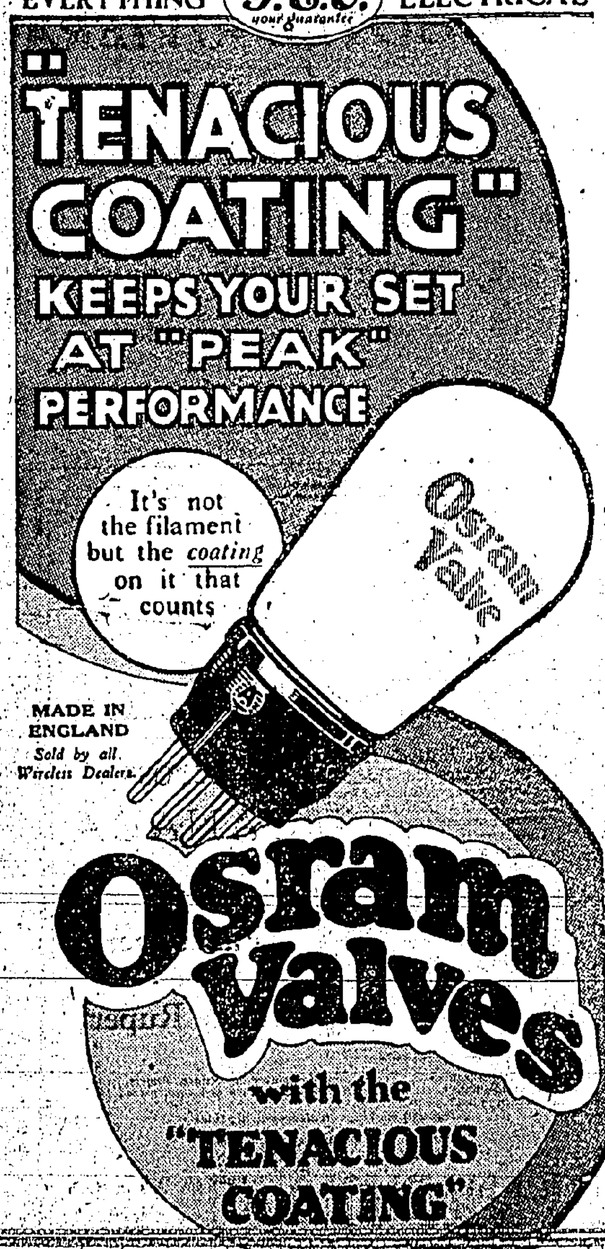

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LONG-WAVE STATIONS.

Wave length (Metres)	Station	Call Sign	Kilocycle
260	Manila	K.Z.I.B.	1,153
277	Shanghai	K.S.M.S.	1,085
280	Tientsin	C.R.C.	1,070
310	Shanghai	K.R.C.	967
320	Peping	C.O.P.K.	945
345	Tokyo	J.O.A.K.	870
353	Hiroshima	J.O.F.K.	850
355	Hong Kong	Z.B.W.	846
357	Bombay	V.U.B.	840
361	Sapporo	J.O.I.K.	830
366	Keijo	J.O.D.K.	820
370	Nagoya	J.O.C.K.	810
370.4	Calcutta	V.U.C	809.9
380	Kumamoto	J.O.G.K.	790
390	Sendai	J.O.H.K.	770
395	Dairen	J.D.A.K.	760
398	Rangoon	V.U.R.	754
400	Osaka	J.O.B.K.	750
410	Canton	C.M.B.	732
413	Manila	K.Z.R.M.	726

SHORT-WAVE STATIONS.

Wave Length (Metres)	Station	Call Sign	Kilo Cycles	Time (Hong Kong) of Working
67.85	Dobinta (Germany)	A.F.K.	4,434	Mon., Wed. & Fri., 6 p.m. & 3 a.m.
60.13	Khabarovsk (Russia)	R.A.97.	4,990	6—10 p.m.
56.7	Nanon—	A.G.J.	5,291	Not regular
50.	Moscow	R.F.N.	6,000	Tues., Thurs., Sat., 8 p.m.
43.5	Rome	1.M.A.	6,896	Sunday midnight
42.	Perth	6.A.G.	7,142	Daily 6.30 p.m. & 11 p.m.
41.3	Singapore	V.S.I.A.B.	7,310	Not regular
38.8	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.L.	7,730	Daily 11 p.m.
37.	Bangkok (Siam)	H.S.4.P.J.	8,108	Tues. & Fri., 9 p.m.—1 a.m.
32.5	Sydney	2.B.L.	9,230	Not regular
31.55	Melbourne	3.L.O.	9,503	Not regular
31.48	Schenectady	W.2.X.A.F.	9,530	Daily 7 a.m.
31.20	Eindhoven (Holland)	P.C.J.	9,620	Fri. 3 a.m., Sat. 3 a.m. & 10 a.m.
31.28	Sydney	2.F.C.	9,590	Not regular
31.	Nairobi (Kenya)	7.L.O.	9,677	Midnight daily
28.5	Sydney	2.M.E.	10,526	Not regular
27.8	Bandoeng	P.L.R.	11,020	Midnight—3 a.m. daily
25.53	Chelmsford (England)	5.S.W.	11,751	7.30 p.m. & 3 a.m. daily, except Saturday and Sunday
24.5	Manila	K.I.X.R.	12,240	Nightly
23.35	Schenectady	W.2.X.O.	12,850	4 a.m. Wed., Fri., Sat.
18.88	Bandoeng	P.L.G.	16,102	Daily 6.30 p.m. to midnight
18.4	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.L.	16,304	Daily 7 p.m.
17.4	Bandoeng	P.L.F.	17,250	Daily 8 p.m. to midnight
16.9	Bangkok	H.S.1.P.J.	17,751	Sundays 7 p.m. & midnight
16.3	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.K.	18,404	Each afternoon
15.74	Bandoeng	P.L.E.	19,220	Daily 5.30—7 p.m.
15.5	Nancy (France)	—	19,351	Daily 3 a.m.
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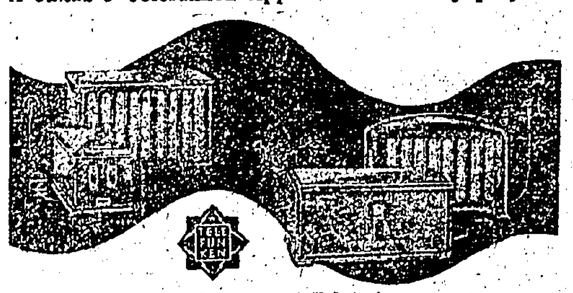

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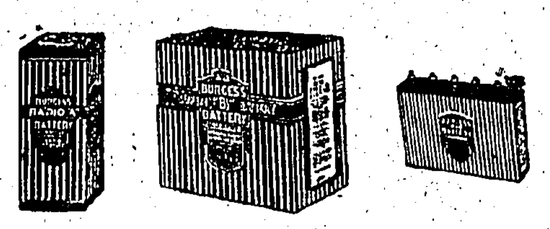

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When adjusting the capacity of a compression type condenser in a wave-trap, use a long-handled screw driver or chisel edged skewer so that the hand is well removed from the coil.

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When extra smoothing appears to be necessary with a mains unit it is generally the detector H.T. supply that is the cause of trouble.

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An old L.F. choke an L.F. transformer with one good winding, can be placed in series with the H.T. positive lead to the detector in conjunction with a large fixed condenser joined between plate and filament. This will often cure the hum.

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Poor contacts in a resistance or an imperfect primary or secondary winding or bad aerial insulation are common causes of "interference."

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Nevertheless, you want to be careful that you are not caught by an ignition rating when is given as unqualified "capacity" on some batteries of obscure origin. "Capacity 100 Ampere-Hours" may look nice in large black letter when seen on a neat, compact battery, but if it is calculated on an ignition basis then, for radio purposes, that capacity is only fifty ampere-hours at most.

Most batteries of good make have their outputs founded on at least their maximum charging currents. Thus, if you see an accumulator bearing a good name labelled "six volts; twenty amps; charging rate, half an amp" you can be fairly certain that you will get twenty ampere-hours capacity at least, if not a little more, at anything up to half an ampere.

The hours of actual service an accumulator will give you are approximately its ampere-hour capacity divided by the current taken from it.

To vary our figures a little, a Battery of 30 Ampere hours capacity should deliver half an ampere of current for an aggregate period of 60 hours; but it is unwise to work only by the book, and that frequent reference to the voltmeter and hydrometer is distinctly advisable. Nothing harms an accumulator more than to run it down too far.

Having decided upon the voltage and capacity of the accumulator that you need, the next thing to do is to decide upon the actual make. Accumulators are always improving, although you might think that they have remained more or less in a stable position during the past three or four years.

This is far from being the case; the improvements are not of a revolutionary character, they are more improvements in detail, although details which work out very importantly during the life of the battery.

INDOOR AERIAL POINTS.

With the great increase in efficiency in receiving sets and the increase in power in broadcasting transmitters, the indoor aerial is becoming increasingly popular. From time to time, though, you come across not a few that give receiving sets no real chance of showing what they can do. The beginner at wireless—and perhaps sometimes the old hand, too—does not always realise that walls are, from a radio point of view, earth. Hence you will find the down lead to some wall or brought in through a door by a very long way round for the sake of neatness.

TO-DAY'S WIRELESS PROGRAMME.

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11 to 11.30 a.m.—Commercial news
11.30 a.m.—Chinese programme.
12.30 p.m.—European programme.
1.30 p.m.—Weather report.
2 p.m.—Close down.
5 p.m.—European programme of Columbia records selected and supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

Potpourri.

"Aloha - Oe" and "Nalei O Hawaii." — Royal Hawaiian Band.
"Sally"—Selection.—Regal Cinema Orchestra.
"Rio Rita—The Rangers Song."—Geoffrey Gwyther and Chorus.
"I'd Rather Have a Memory of You."—Duet.
"The Desert Song"—Vocal Gems.—Columbia Light Opera Co.
"The Desert Song"—Piano Medley.—Billy Mayerl.
"Why the Town Went Dry."—Talking by William McCulloch.
"Nigger Town."—Banjo Solo by Ernest Jones.
"Mississippo Bubble." —Banjo Solo by Ernest Jones.
"What's His Name?" — Party Novelty Song by Tommy Handley.
6 p.m.—Children's programme.
6.45 p.m.—Mozart Pianoforte Concerto in G., Ernst Von Dohnanyi (Pianoforte) and Budapest Philharmonic Orch.

A short description of each movement, of the above concerto will be given before being played.

A Concert.

7.30 p.m.—
"Come Silver Moon" (Londonderry Air).—Duet Dora Labette and Hubert Eisdell.
"Elegie" (Massenet).—Violin Solo by Albert Sammons.
"The Clock and the Dresden Figures."—Ketelbey's Concert Orchestra.
"King Charles."—Rex Palmer, Baritone.
"Chanson" (Friml). — Squire Celesto Octet.
"Roll On, Thou Deep and Dark Blue Ocean."—Norman Allin, Bass.
"Auld Lang Syne."—Community Singing at Columbia Factory London.
8 p.m.—Chinese Studio Concert.
9 p.m.—Weather report.
10.30 p.m.—Close down.

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"DEVIL-MAY-CARE" AT THE QUEEN'S.

"Do you know it takes real bravery to be "shot" with blank cartridges!" This interesting fact was revealed when the choice was made of a man to be "executed" ahead of Ramon Novarro in "Devil-May Care," which is showing at the Queen's Theatre. (Novarro makes a daring escape from the guns of the Royalist soldiers.)

Several extras refused the honour but one finally accepted it, for added pay. It seems that at ten paces burning powder frequently hits the face of the victim, causing considerable discomfort. The man who was executed received several pieces of flaming powder in his face, but he grinned while the burns were bandaged, holding as he did an extra note of nice size. "Devil-May-Care" is a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer musical romance, directed by Sidney Franklin.

"THE WILD PARTY."

Clara Bow has just been voted the favourite cinema star of 2,700 theatre owners and managers in all parts of the United States.

Colleen Moore, leader in the balloting last year, when Miss Bow was placed second, is now herself in second place. Lon Chaney was voted the most popular masculine star.

Clara Bow gets on an average 25,000 letters each month being thousands more than any other star of the stage or screen. Her latest production, "The Wild Party" is a vivid film of unfettered youth and the scenes are laid in the collego campus and class-room. It is an all-talking film.

"The Wild Party" comes to the Central Theatre for four days beginning on Saturday.

Fredric March, a young, dark-haired star, plays opposite Miss Bow in "The Wild Party."

"SECOND WIFE."

Should a husband leave his wife, who hourly is expecting to become a mother, and go to the bedside of his first wife's dying son? This question arises in one of the dramatic situation in Radio Pictures' "Second Wife," now showing at the Central Theatre.

Some took the stand that Lila Lee, cast as the "Second Wife," was right in asking her husband to stay with her. Others claim they would have acted in the same manner as Conrad Nagel, the husband-father, and rushed to the dying boy's side.

When Russell Mack, the director of "Second Wife" called a rest for lunch the arguments would start. At every table in the studio cafe could be heard:

"She was right. He should have stayed with her."

"She was wrong—and selfish to ask him to stay."

"I know. I'm married for the third time."

"Step-children always cause trouble. I've got two."

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Hum ought not to be heard from an A.C. mains set. Modern valves are good and so are most mains units, and you should therefore look to the set if a bad hum is heard.

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CRIMINAL'S ONE ERROR.

BUTTON LEADS TO CONVICTION.

A fragment broken from the bone button of an overcoat found at the scene of a safe-blowing at St. Albert, near Edmonton, Alberta, four months ago, was responsible for the conviction and sentence of Joseph Barber, *alias* Barberro, to five years' imprisonment when he appeared before Mr. Justice Ives in the Edmonton Supreme Court.

The little piece of bone formed the clue which definitely linked Barber with the burglary, and was the basis of the case of the Crown against him.

Detectives of the Alberta Provincial Police told of inspecting the scene of the burglary and of finding the broken button beside the wrecked safe.

Barber was later arrested at Calgary, and in a motor-car used in his wanderings over Alberta was a broken button. The piece of button found at the scene of the safe-blowing fitted exactly that found in the car.

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JUDGES ACCUSED OF BEING "RUDE."

WOMAN'S OUTBURST IN COURT.

Accusing the judges of being "rude," and alleging that she had been refused "the right of English law and justice," Mrs. Mary Jane Barnes, of South Benfleet, Essex, created a scene in the London Law Courts.

She appealed in person before Justices Swift and Action against a County Court judgment.

Mrs. Barnes alleged that she had never refused to pay for the furniture.

"I am an innocent woman," she cried, "and have been attacked wrongly."

To the statement that judgment was entered in default of her appearance Mrs. Barnes retorted: "I do not want the law dealt out by such damnable machinery."

Observing that the two judges were conferring, she remarked loudly, "What is the use of talking if you are so rude?"

Mr. Justice Swift said the appeal failed.

"I protest against that decision," shouted Mrs. Barnes, rising to her feet. "You are Rigby Swift, are you not?"

Mr. Justice Rigby Swift (sternly): Will you leave the court?

Mrs. Barnes: This is not law and justice, Rigby Swift.

Mrs. Barnes waved an usher aside crying, "I am not going to be dished by you."

Then she walked from the court, her allegations of "injustice" echoing down the corridors.

GRACIE FIELDS' RETURN FROM U.S.

"CROOMBS! IT'S GOOD TO BE BACK."

AL JOLSON PARODY.

A piercing yell arose as the Mauretania boat train steamed into Paddington. Gracie Fields, who had returned from her American tour, was on board.

Gracie, in red coat and red hair flying, was out on the platform before the train had come to a standstill, laughing, whistling, shouting, and round the necks of relatives who had come to meet her.

"Croombs! It's good to be back," said Gracie. "I feel like Princess Mary going through Wigan."

After greetings had been exhausted she whistled her husband and set off for her car. Her husband, Mr. Archie Pitt, trotted modestly behind.

When she arrived home in Hampstead Gracie took her hair down and began to unpack one of her five wardrobe trunks, which contained nothing but presents for the family.

"I've had my eye brows plucked," she announced, "but now I'm home the poor things can grow.

"And I'm thinner, that's from hard work and irregular meals. Which reminds me. . .," and the family trooped in to dinner.

Gracie sat down to dinner, which was "roast beef and two veg.," with her hair down."

"New York didn't know what to make of me at first," she said. "They expected me to be standoffish. I was all at sea.

"This is the Goods."

"Then I found out that an American likes familiarity and noise and slapping on the back; so I fairly bust my lungs and fell about, and the audience sat up and said, 'Oh, boy, this is the goods!' and gave old Gracie a hand.

"Until you know them, American music-hall methods throw you off your balance.

"Any artist on the programme can interupt any other act, and does, and the audience loves it.

"Any famous artist in the audience is liable to be invited on to the stage, and the limes are turned on him until he does.

"One night Al Jolson was there, and was dragged on to the stage just before my act. He sang 'Sonny Boy.'

"Then I parodied him.

"It's all intimate, friendly, jolly, informal. Everybody calls you by your Christian name and slaps you on the back until you're sore.

"They were wonderful to me, but New York stage life is too hard. The competition is deadly. Artists do five shows a day, and never dare let up. I couldn't stand it."

A MOTHER'S SECOND TRIAL.

ACCUSED OF POISONING HER HUSBAND.

CHILDREN WAIT IN THE WORKHOUSE.

A thirty-eight-year-old mother of five children is in prison at Armagh awaiting her second trial for murder—accused of the poisoning of her husband by strychnine.

She is Mrs. Mary Ann Sproule, who in the kitchen of her lonely farmhouse near Castlederg, Co. Tyrone, six months ago, declared to the police as she was arrested "I can take my oath I gave him no poison."

Her children, whose ages range from two years to twelve, were taken from the farm, which has stood desolate and silent since, to Londonderry Workhouse.

As the first trial in Omagh, three months ago, she maintained a stoic calm throughout the two days' evidence, and remained unmoved even when her nine-year-old daughter Minnie went into the witness-box to speak on her behalf.

Runaway Marriage.

She told her own story of her runaway marriage fourteen years ago with a deliberation which amazed the crowded court, and the keen cross-examination failed to shake her statement "I can take my oath that I gave him no poison."

The jury disagreed, and now Mrs. Sproule is waiting to appear before a second judge and jury at the next winter assizes, which take place in December.

The trial created intense feeling throughout Ulster, and the retrial is being awaited with interest, for it is known that no additional evidence has been discovered.

The Crown theory is that Sproule was given strychnine in tea, and Mrs. Sproule admitted having bought sixteen grains of strychnine from a local chemist, stating that she wanted it for rats, which she killed by placing the poison on bread and butter.

Sproule at this time was in hospital, where his left hand was amputated, and it was stated in evidence that he, too, had purchased poison on various occasions from 1924 to 1929.

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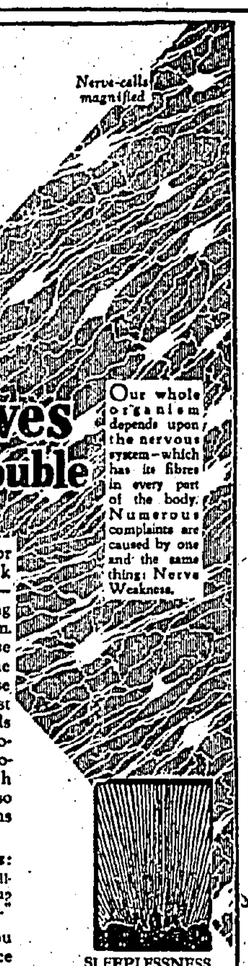

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The statement goes on: "The value to the nation, in every sense, of the middle classes, is indisputable, whether in industry, profession, finance, or administration. The weight of taxation presses heavily on them, but gives no title to the benefits to which such taxation contributes. They have been a body without cohesion or expression, at the mercy of other sections. It is recognised that only by the combined influence of numbers and strength can the objects be achieved, and it is only by such influence, either by convincing or bringing pressure to bear on municipal and Government representatives, that recognition and relief will be obtained.

Will Press for Economy.

"Every constitutional means will be taken to obtain the objects of the association. The association will press for economy in every branch of administration. It is recognised that only by increased trading will ultimate relief be obtained, yet the State has made no effort to assist the country, but rather by unchecked expenditure is retarding the hope of prosperity. Without increasing the burden of taxation either on businesses or individuals, some provision of relief for the middle-class unemployed must be made at once.

"Charity is out of the question. As the association's members have been income tax payers, that must be taken into consideration, and from this source relief can be given without adding to its burden. The relief necessary, except to a comparative few who will not be absorbed back into industry, is only needed as a temporary measure, and will not in the aggregate amount to an excessive figure, and can well be taken out of the income tax and replaced indirectly by economies that to the business man are obvious."

EX-KING HUSSEIN OF HEDJAZ.

REPORTED DEATH SOMEWHAT PREMATURE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Nov. 18.

An official telegram from Cyprus, where ex-King Hussein is lying ill, denies the report from Baghdad that he is dead.

The message states that his condition is unchanged.

PRESIDENT OF HAITI.

OPPOSED TO AMERICAN OCCUPATION.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.

A message from Port au Prince states that Stenio Vincent, ex-President of the Senate of Haiti, has been elected President of Haiti.

The new President is a member of the extreme Opposition Party, and is an opponent of the American occupation. He is the first President to be regularly elected since the conclusion of the Treaty with the United States in 1915.

LORD DERBY ON PROSPERITY.

"IT IS NECESSARY TO HAVE SOME CHANGE."

Lord Derby, speaking at Northwich, Cheshire, said:—

"There are in the conservative party two sections. One says that the only way is a tax on wheat; the other as represented by Mr. Baldwin, says let us try this first, and if that method fails he is prepared to go the whole distance to secure the concessions that the Dominions are ready to offer us. To me, who has always been a free trader, to make that change does necessitate very anxious thought, but I have come to the conclusion that it is necessary if we are to look ahead so far as the prosperity of our country is concerned.

"It is because our Dominions have great potentialities regarding population and markets that I feel we must lose no opportunity of getting a real foothold in those markets for those who come after us.

"The road back to prosperity will be uphill and slow, but I believe that with the Dominions and Colonies to help this country it will be sure."

MUSSOLINI—WHEN YOUNG.

ENGAGED AS AN ERRAND BOY.

The far-off days when Signor Mussolini was a young man of twenty-five years of age, earning 20s. a month as assistant to an Italian grocer and pork butcher in Lausanne and when he was considered an advanced Socialist, are recalled in an interesting interview published in *Le Journal*.

In 1905 Mussolini, who had been expelled from various cantons in Switzerland, arrived at Lausanne and went to see Signor Charles de Paulis for a job. He was engaged as general help and errand boy. He had been recommended to his employer by a friend who attended the same Socialist meetings, and said he was honest and hard-working.

"I offered him 20s. a month and his board," said Signor de Paulis, "and he jumped at the offer, for he was nearly destitute. I knew that his political opinions were far in advance of mine, but we kept off the subject. I always found him very likeable, but not especially assiduous about his job. Whenever he had to go out on an errand he always took a book with him, and I felt he only thought of his studies at the university.

Masterful Eyes.

"He then wrote striking articles in an Italian newspaper published in Switzerland," said Signor de Paulis, "and was noticed by many of his professors. He already had most masterful and piercing eyes, which so distinguish him to-day."

Mussolini only remained with his employer for a year, and then was sent away as business was bad. He found further employment in a short while, but then he was definitely expelled from Switzerland. The curious part of it is that when he attended the Lausanne Conference that order of expulsion was still in force.

"Since then," added Signor de Paulis, "I have not spoken to him. I am neither Fascist nor anti-Fascist, and I have no favour to ask. I am quite content with my lot, and he has done very well for himself."

ACTION AGAINST RUSSO-ASIATIC BANK.

RUSSIAN MINER'S CASE DISMISSED.

In the Appellate Division of the Second Branch of the Kiangsu High Court, the appeal of P. A. Emeianoff, a 90-year old Russian miner, who sought to recover from the Russo-Asiatic Bank (in liquidation) and its liquidators, Yen 72,287.76 was dismissed last week by Judges Wenfu Yiko Hu (presiding), Han, and Lee Mo.

Dr. F. Wilhelm appeared for the bank-respondents throughout the hearing in the Court of First Instance, and in the Court of Appeal, the case having occupied the Courts' attention for many months, and Mr. Franklin Chiu represented appellant in the Appeal Court.

The case, which was in the nature of a test, was one in which appellant, a gold miner, claimed the right to a large sum of money, alleged to have been deposited in the respondents bank, and paid as compensation by the Chinese Government to the Russian Government on behalf of certain Russian gold miners, in consideration of the latter returning to the Chinese Government concessions which they had received.

In the Court of First Instance, the Judge found that plaintiff had not made out his case to the satisfaction of the Court, and gave judgment for defendants, a view which was promptly appealed against on many grounds. The Appeal Court, however, as stated, recently upheld the Lower Court's decision.

Mr. Chiu intimated that it was the intention of his client to lodge a further appeal with the Supreme Court in Nanking.

PRINCE OF WALES' TRIP TO ARGENTINA.

LEAVING ENGLAND IN JANUARY.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Nov. 18.

It is officially announced that H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, accompanied by Prince George, will travel by the steamship Oropesa, which leaves Liverpool on January 15th for South America.

The Prince will spend January 27th at Bermuda, January 31 at Havana, February 3 at Kingston, Jamaica, and will reach Buenos Aires about April 5.

He will open the British Trade Exhibition on April 14.

A message from Santiago de Chile says the Prince of Wales and Prince George are expected to arrive at Antofagasta on February 21, and will proceed to Santiago by air the same day.

ACTRESS' DREAMS OF A MURDER.

JESSIE MILLWARD'S MEMORIES.

Brighton.—There lives alone in a small private hotel here a once-famous actress in whose arms Wm. Terriss, the great Victorian actor, died after he had been stabbed by a madman thirty-three years ago.

Only her intimate friends know that the beautiful Jessie Millward, who was Terriss' leading lady and close friend and the darling of the English public in those days, is living obscurely at Brighton in retirement and alone.

Miss Millward had heard that Mr. Seymour Hicks, Terriss' son-in-law, had revived the horror of the tragedy by his book of memoirs published recently.

"It is thirty-three years ago," she said in a rich, soft voice, "but it never becomes less terribly vivid to me. It was the strangest thing, but three weeks before he was murdered I dreamed Mr. Terriss' death.

"I dreamed that he cried out to me, 'Sis, I'm stabbed!'—he always called me that—and lay dying in my arms on the bare boards.

"The same dream came a second time, and it seemed like a warning. Yet what could I do to prevent it? I am nearly distracted when I think that somehow I ought to have saved him.

"When the dream came the third time I told Mr. Terriss, but neither of us really believed it was an omen of death.

Irving's Help.

"The next day when I arrived at the private pass-door into the Adelphi Theatre, where we were playing in 'Secret Service,' I saw the unbalanced fellow who killed him.

"Later I went to the top of the stairs; heard Mr. Terriss' key in the pass-door, and then silence. Then I heard him breathing heavily and a cry, 'Sis, I'm stabbed!' just as I had heard it in the dreams.

"I ran downstairs and caught him, and he died in my arms on the bare boards.

"What could I do? I never went back to the English stage. My whole life seemed over.

"Irving was wonderful to me. Every night he came to see me after the theatre. He urged me to go back to the stage, and to save myself I did. I went with Charles Frohman to New York, and was his leading lady for years.

Then came my marriage, and, oh! things get better with time. But now I am alone, and I can't help but think of it."

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DR. RICE'S INTERESTING ADDRESS TO V.D.M.A.

Dr. H. D. C. Rice, M.R.C.S., speaking yesterday at the V.D.M.A. "At Home" in the Cathedral Hall, gave a most interesting description of the recent struggle between the Yunnanese forces and the Kwangsi "Rebels," for the city of Nanning. Dr. Rice was in charge of a missionary hospital just outside the walls of the city, and during the seige men of both sides, and numbers of civilians, were attended by him and his assistants.

Nanning, he said, is normally a town of some 120,000 inhabitants, but last June it numbered only about 60,000, since many had left on account of the threatened invasion. On June 13 news was received in the hospital that the Yunnanese were approaching down the river on their way to take Nanning. Mr. Humphrey of the Asiatic Petroleum Company got orders from his firm to leave and the three ladies attached to the hospital left with him in the Company's launch at 3 a.m.

The Yunnanese Attack.

From June 13 to June 17, the Yunnanese troops were seen to be approaching and gathering on the north bank of the river, and on the latter date the outposts of the Kwangsi troops were driven back with several casualties. After that date there was continual sniping at the city wall from the attacking troops from across the river.

In the meanwhile the Kwangsi forces had been strengthening the defences of the city, especially of that portion of the wall on the east side which had been broken down to admit of building materials being taken into the city.

Aged Guns.

A four-foot thick mud wall, some ten feet in height, was built and strengthened with barbed and electric wires. Five 3-inch guns of British make, dating from the reign of Edward VII., which the city possessed, were mounted at points of vantage on the old mud wall on the northern side, and though the ammunition was of the same date, and much of it useless, yet these guns played a very large part in the defence of Nanning and successfully held the invaders in check until June 22.

On this day the Yunnanese threw a pontoon bridge across the river just above the city, thus enabling them to advance on Nanning directly towards the breached portion of the wall. "It was obvious," said Dr. Rice, "that our hospital would be in no man's land directly between the two forces. We sent letters to both Generals asking them to spare the hospital if possible and they promised to do their best to do so, and I believe that they did in point of fact do all that they could. Since the gates of the city were closed ours was the only available hospital for men of either side and for civilians."

Brave Hospital Staff.

Here Dr. Rice paid a high compliment to the courage and faith of the 30 odd Chinese dressers, etc., of both sexes on the hospital staff. He was astounded at the manner in which they handled the many cases which came in and the faith that they showed. When asked if they were not afraid the invariable answer was, "He will protect us," and again and again he overheard patients in the hospital say "These Christians certainly do know the truth." Of over 30 only one failed in this time of real trial and peril.

Opium Addicts Among the Soldiers.

The first attack on Nanning was made at 10 p.m. on August 8. The Yunnanese forces came up the two streets on either side of the hospital buildings. They had with them four machine guns and barricaded the streets, placing the guns where they could be trained on the wall. Dr. Rice watched the invading forces as they came up the street and described them as being of them apparently, heavy opium addicts. Their uniforms were torn and dirty. A large number of them were quite young boys of 10 or 12 years and he observed one bugler who could not have been more than nine.

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This attack was repulsed successfully and the besiegers did not attack again for about two weeks.

In the meanwhile every day Cantonese 'planes came over the city and dropped bombs which did terrible damage. He counted between 70 and 80 bombs dropped in a period of six weeks.

During the second attack by the Yunnanese a shell from one of the 3-inch guns on the city wall struck the hospital breaking down one wall. Dr. Rice said that he counted 27 shrapnel holes on the mosquito net of one bed, but the occupant, a wounded soldier, was unharmed and no serious damage was done.

Hospital Evacuated.

The third and last attack, which also failed, was made on August 16. The Yunnanese just got inside the city but were driven out again. At this period Dr. Rice decided that the hospital buildings must be evacuated, and the patients were lined up on stretchers in readiness to move out when an opportunity should occur. The street through which they must pass was occupied by the Yunnanese and under constant fire from the city wall. Just as they were ready to start, the Canton 'planes came over. Both sides stopped firing to watch what effect the bombing might have, and the hospital party made its way in safety down the street and out into the country. At some distance they came upon a large empty house, which was temporarily commandeered and the work was carried on there for a fortnight, periodical journeys being made back to the hospital for supplies. It is worthy of note that the hospital building was not looted after being evacuated.

On September 1 Dr. Rice decided to leave Nanning entirely, and having got all the wounded out of the hospital, the staff left. They hope to be able to return shortly and continue their work in that place.

About four weeks ago the two remaining Cantonese 'planes flew out of the town and drove off the Yunnanese who recrossed the river and disappeared.

H.K. HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

ANNUAL MEETING YESTERDAY.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Mrs. R. M. Dyer presided at the annual meeting of the Hong Kong Horticultural Society held yesterday at the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Before proposing the adoption of the annual report and statement of accounts Mrs. Dyer said:—

The annual report and statement of accounts have been before you since the November 1, and with your kind permission I will take them as read.

They have been sent to every Member of the Society and, I think, review the activities of the Society for the past year clearly. I do not propose to make any comment on them except that the balance in hand up to June 30, 1930 was only $125.08 with some outstanding accounts.

We appealed for new members and I am glad to state that our membership is equal to any in the past. There are 21 life members and 233 ordinary members on the books of the Society. I can only hope that the new members will take a real interest in it.

The aim of the Society is to encourage Horticulture as well as to stage a Show, and anything that your Committee can do to give practical assistance will be done. A request to our enthusiastic secretary, Mr. Bagram, will receive prompt attention.

We are fortunate in having Dr. Herklots in Hong Kong. He has broadcasted several very interesting and instructive lectures on gardening, soil and manuring. This is the first time I believe that we have had such plain facts about the soil put before us.

Let me beg all new members to study the local soil and they will reap the benefit in the Flowers and Vegetables they grow.

The report and accounts were duly seconded and passed unanimously.

New Officers.

The following were elected as officers for the present year:—

President: Major-General J. W. Sandilands, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.
Vice-President: Mrs. R. M. Dyer.
Hon. Secretary: Mr. J. T. Bagram, F.R.H.S.
Hon. Treasurer: Mr. A. Tse.
Committee: Messrs. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, H.Green, Ho Kom Tong, Ho Leung, J. P. Robinson and F. W. Stapleton, Mrs. R. E. Hoare, Lt.-Col. T. A. Robertson and Dr. G. A. C. Herklots.

MACAO GOVERNOR FETED.

BRILLIANT GATHERING AT CLUB LUSITANO.

WARM WELCOME BY PORTUGUESE COMMUNITY.

H.E. the Governor of Macao and Sra. Barbosa were guests at the Club Lusitano yesterday evening when the Portuguese community held a reception in their honour. The visiting governor was attended by his aides-de-camp, Lieut.-Comdr. Cabral and Capt. Maier.

Among those present were Mr. A. F. B. Silva Netto, Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, Mr. J. M. da Costa Basto, Mr. C. A. da Roza, Mr. J. A. S. Alves, Mr. A. H. Basto, Mr. E. J. Figueiredo, Mr. F. L. Silva, Mr. C. A. R. Assumcoa, Capt. T. A. H. Coltman and the president and secretaries of various Portuguese associations.

His Excellency was met on arrival by the President of the Club, Mr. Silva Netto and was conducted into the main hall which was specially decorated for the occasion with coloured streamers.

Cordial Welcome.

In welcoming the Governor of Macao, Mr. Silva Netto, in a brief speech in Portuguese, said that the Portuguese community extended to His Excellency a most cordial welcome as they recognised him not only as one who has done great service to his country but also as one who had been unfailing in his efforts to serve the Club Lusitano.

Mr. Silva Netto said that the visit of His Excellency and Sra. Barbosa to the Colony served to elevate the prestige of the Portuguese Community in Hong Kong. Such visits, of course, also helped to further the cordial relationship between the two Governors.

The gratitude of the Portuguese communityl, said Mr. Silva Netto, to His Excellency for his invaluable work in Macao can never be adequately expressed. His many demonstrations of patriotism included acts by which the Club Lusitano has benefitted immensely As a small memento of their esteem, the committee proposed in the near future to make a bronze statue of His Excellency to be placed in a prominent position in the Club. Mr. Silva Netto then asked the gathering to join him in drinking to the health and happiness of the Governor and his wife and to wish them *bon voyage* on their journey to the North

His Excellency's Reply.

In replying, His Excellency said that it was difficult for him to express his thanks properly for the hospitality and generosity of the Portuguese community of Hong Kong. Anything he had done for the Club Lusitano was nothing more than his duty and he felt sure that any other member who could, would have done the same. "I am extremely grateful for the demonstration by the Portuguese community," said the Governor. "I feel sure that the Portuguese community here are co-operating in making the demonstration in honour of a representative from Portugual, who has been very kindly received in this Colony by the Government of Hong Kong. My reception has been a very hospitable one and I am extremely grateful to the Government of this Colony and in particular to H.E. Sir William Peel for all that has been done in my honour."

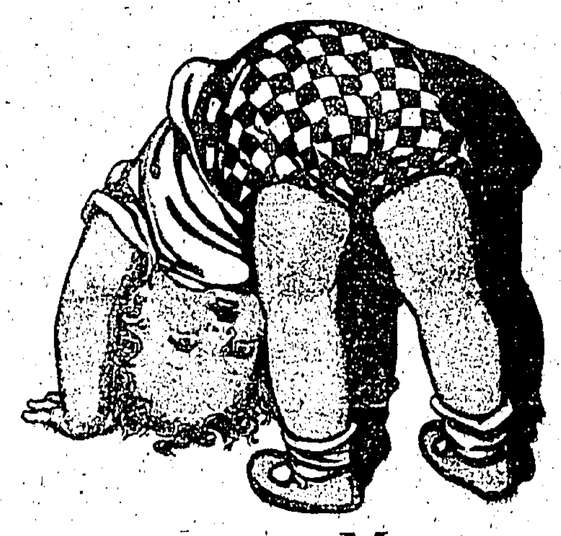
The Governor of Macao then called upon the gathering to drink firstly to the happiness and good Government of Sir William Peel, and, secondly, to the health and happiness of the committee of the Club Lusitano and of those who are maintaining the prestige of the Portuguese nation.

CHINESE UNEMPLOYED FROM ABROAD.

CANTON MEASURES FOR SUPPORT.

In view of the large number of unemployed Chinese workers returning from abroad, the Canton authorities are considering measures for their relief. It was originally decided to establish a number of factories for their accommodation, but due to financial distress, the proposal was shelved. It has been now decided to extend the Poor Asylum to accommodate as many of them as possible.

The Bureau of Social Welfare is summoning a conference for the discussion of relief measures and overseas Chinese have been invited to attend the meeting.



Look at me Mummy!

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LOANS FOR FRENCH COLONIES.

CHAMBER DISCUSSES BILL TO INVOLVE MILLIARDS.

Paris, November 13.—This morning the Chamber of Deputies continued the discussion of a bill authorizing the Government of West Africa, Indo-China and the Commissariat of Togo and Cameroon to contract loans totalling milliards of francs. The discussions have been interrupted by the holidays.

The reporter, M. August Brunet, gave details of the various credits notably in connection with the amount of 1,570,000,000 francs for French Western Africa in order to accelerate works ultimately costing 2,075,000,000 francs and that of 1,250,000,000 francs for Indo-China. The project will assist in the improvement of cereal and cotton, reducing the cost of freight, improving the living conditions of the natives and developing the prosperity of the colonies despite the fact that the public debt of the colonies which are to benefit by the scheme already amounts to francs 202,000,000, an effort by the capital is necessary.

M. Pietri demanded an early vote on the matter remarking: "In voting for this project, gentlemen, you are not only performing an act of justice but doing a good piece of business; an act of justice because you are not able to forget the sacrifices made by the indigenous population who responded to our appeal during the war, and good business because we are interested in the economic development of the colonies."

At the end of the general discussion M. Daladier astonished at not seeing any sum for the medical assistance for Indo-China proposed an amendment to give priority to protection work amongst the indigenous races. M. Pietri remarked that such expenses were already provided for in the local budgets and opposed the amendment which he said upset the general scheme of such loans and necessitated the whole project being returned for further consideration.

M. Daladier then withdrew his amendment and proposed another, which was accepted by the Minister for the Colonies, taking the total of the loans to francs 390,000,000 of which at least francs 3,000,000,000 should be devoted to sanitary and demographic protection. The Chamber unanimously adopted its main clauses as well as the whole of the first article. The discussion will continue to-morrow.

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HELENA MAY CONCERT.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

The following concert programme will be given at the Helena May Institute to-day (Thursday):—

Part I.

"An Oriental Fantasy."

The Favourite ..... Alwen Owen Hughes
A Slave ..... Violet King.
Incense Carrier ..... Patricia Scott Little.
1st Singing Girl ..... Crista Womack.
2nd Singing Girl ..... Nina Valentine.
1st Dancer ..... Peggy Stringer.
2nd Dancer ..... Phyllis Gittins.
3rd Dancer ..... Mavis Glendinning
4th Dancer ..... Ellen Ford.

MUSICAL NUMBERS.

Far Across the Desert Sands ..... Sung by Chorus.
Siesta Time ..... Crista Womack.
Jhelum River ..... Crista Womack and Nina Valentine.
From Cairo and Baghdad ..... Nina Valentine and Chorus.
Behold ..... Violet King and Alwen Owen Hughes.
Song of the Fruit Girls ..... Crista Womack and Nina Valentine.
How Many a Caravan ..... Nina Valentine.
Finale Dance and Chorus ..... At the Piano: Mrs. A. R. H. Phillips.

(Five minutes interval.)

Part II.

"Four Songs of Spain."

(Sung by Mrs. D. H. Gregory).

(a) Cuanto le Quiero ..... Orejon.
(b) Aurrera ..... Urricelqui.
(c) Clavelitos ..... Valverde.
(d) El Relicario ..... Padilla.

(At the Piono: Mr. F. Mason.)

"A Japanese Song-picture: by Alwen Owen Hughes, Crista Womack, Violet King & Nina Valentine.

Duet: "Braid the Raven Hair" ..... Crista Womack and Nina Valentine.

Trio: "Three Little Maids" ..... Crista Womack, Violet King and Valentine.

(At the Piano: Mrs. A. R. H. Phillips.)

God Save the King.

DRAMATIC TURN IN MURDER TRIAL.

WOMEN LIKELY TO BE ACQUITTED.

CROWN TO CONSIDER THE POINT.

There was a sensational development in the murder trial at the Criminal Sessions yesterday which is likely to lead not only to the acquittal of the village girl charged with the killing of her father-in-law but also the withdrawal of the murder charge against Tang Yung, the deceased's wife.

At the close of reading a statement made by the accused girl at the Taipo Police Court, in which she claimed that she beat the man to death with the assistance of her mother-in-law, Mr. Somerset Fitzroy, prosecuting Counsel for the Crown, applied for an adjournment in order to consider the question of entering a *nolle prosequi* both in this and the other case. The announcement caused considerable excitement among those who have been closely watching the proceedings for the last two days.

When the trial was resumed in the morning, Mr. Leo d'Almada, jnr., appearing for the defence, instructed of Mr. W. D. Owen, of Messrs. Hastings, Dennys & Bowley, argued at length on the inadmissibility of tendering as evidence a statement made by the accused girl when she was a witness in the Lower Court proceedings against Tang Yung. The objection was made on the ground that a threat, alleged to have been made by a Chinese detective, was present in her mind when witness made the statement, which was therefore not a voluntary one.

Alleged Threat by Police.

Mr. d'Almada said that he intended to put the accused in the witness box to prove his submission that a threat had been made. He continued that accused was taken to Au Tau Police Station where she was questioned at some length by a Chinese detective. She could not remember exactly what the date of that occurrence was, but she made a certain statement to him which, he told her, she must subsequently make as a witness against Tang Yung, to the Magistrate at Taipo Police Court. The detective further emphasised that she must repeat to the Magistrate what she had told him, saying that if she did not do so she would have to go to prison for a number of years.

Counsel continued to argue the inadmissibility of the evidence by quoting a number of cases to support it, stressing that a caution was more than ever necessary in view of the fact that the accused in this case was ignorant, of low mentality, and had not the benefit of legal advice.

After further argument his Lordship held that the onus was on the Crown to prove that the statement was made voluntarily. Witnesses were accordingly called.

Magistrate as Witness.

Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, District Officer (North), said accused appeared before him in his Court as a witness in certain proceedings on September 29. She gave evidence, which he took in writing and now produced. So far as he knew, it was a voluntary statement, and no inducement was held out to her in his Court. She did not refuse to answer any question, neither did she claim the right to refuse to answer. The statement was translated and read over to her and she signed it.

Cross-examined, witness said it did not occur to him to warn her at any stage of the proceedings that anything she might say might incriminate her. That she might say something to incriminate herself was the thought furthest from his mind.

Detetcive-Inspector Dorling, the next witness, stated that he questioned the girl at Au Tau Police Station on September 5. Before doing so he cautioned the girl and told her that she was not obliged to answer any question, but that whatever she said would be taken down in writing and might be used against her at some future date. She answered the questions quite voluntarily, and the statement was read out to her before she signed it. Witness had never heard that any threat had been used.

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Cross-examined by Mr. d'Almada, witness said that he did not know whether the girl had been questioned by a Chinese Police Officer before or after September 5. He had not heard of it and, according to his belief, witness was the first Police Officer to question the girl.

Sergt. Baysting, recalled, stated that the girl was present on September 4 at the mortuary and witness had never heard of anyone threatening her.

Accused Girl's Story.

In the witness box, Pun Chiu Ling, the accused girl, said that she was taken to the mortuary on September 4 and brought back to Au Tau Police Station where she was taken to a room and questioned by a Chinese constable. The constable told her that she must speak the truth otherwise she would be put in prison for many years.

In answer to a question from her counsel, witness said that when she gave evidence at the Police Court the words used by the constable were not in her mind.

His Lordship held that no threat had been used and he was quite satisfied on this point. The statement would, therefore, be read out to the jury.

In her statement the girl said that her father-in-law made certain suggestions to her on the morning of the day in question. At this time her mother-in-law entered the house and was very angry with her husband. In the afternoon the man was seated on a stool near the doorway with his back towards her and the other woman. They attacked him with a bamboo pole and piece of firewood and continued to beat him till he was dead.

Application for Adjournment.

Mr. Fitzroy, at this stage, said that was all the evidence in the case for the Crown. He would, however, asked his Lordship to grant and adjournment as he desired to consult the Attorney-General on the question of entering a *nolle prosequi* against the prisoner and probably also against Tang Yung, the other prisoner, in view of extraordinary circumstances in the case.

Mr. Justice Wood granted the application, adjourning the trial until 10.30 this morning.

H.E. THE GOVERNOR OF MACAO.

OFFICIAL VISIT TO THE COLONY.

Decorated with bunting and ferns, Queen's Pier presented a very pretty picture yesterday, when shortly after noon the Governor of Macao (H.E. Sr. Tamagnini de Souza Barbosa) with Sra. Barbosa landed on an official visit to the Colony. This was in the nature of a return visit to H.E. Sir William Peel, and they were the guests at Government House until to-day when they will leave for Shanghai on the N.Y.K. Asama Maru.

On the pier, Sr. and Sra. Barbosa were met by Sir William and Lady Peel and many officials, and after introductions and inspection of the Guard of Honour (the Argylls & Sutherland Highlanders) the party drove to Government House for tiffin. The cars were escorted by the motor-cycle section of the Defence Corps.

Those on the pier included:—H.E. Major-General Sandilands, Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax, Hon. Mr. H. T. Creasy, Hon. Mr. C. G. S. Mackie, Hon. Dr. Wellington, Hon. Mr. J. Owen Hughes, Hon. Mr. C. McI. Messer, Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, Hon. Mr. S. W. Tso, Messrs. N. L. Smith, G. R. Sayer, Dufaure de la Prade (Consul-General for France), A. Luiz Cervieriira de Albuquerque e Castro (Consul-General for Portugal), T. M. Hazelrigg, E. W. Hamilton, Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, Squadron-Leader Freeman, Capt. A. H. Walker (Commodore), Mr. P. P. J. Wodehouse, Captain Cameron and Mr. G. W. A. Tufton (Private Secretary to His Excellency).

ALL ASIA EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE.

CANTON DELEGATES.

Mr. Wong Kai Ming, Principal of Pui Ching Middle School, Tungshan, Canton, has been invited to attend the first All Asia Educational Conference, under the auspices of the World Federation of Education Associations, which is to be held at Benares, India, from December 26 to 30, 1930.

Mr. Wong has accepted the invitation and is going to sail for India some time next week. Mr. Ko Kim Foo, the famous Cantonese artist, will also attend the Conference, where he will exhibit a number of his paintings.

RECENT DETENTION QUESTIONED.

IS I. & E. OFFICE A POLICE STATION?

INTERESTING POINT BEFORE MAGISTRATE.

The question as to whether the Superintendent of the Imports and Exports Office has power to detain any suspected person was further discussed at the Central Magistracy yesterday, when the proprietor of the Shing Mee Wo Distillery at Lyeemun was charged before Mr. Lindsell with having failed to record in his books certain quantities of mash.

At the previous hearing, Mr. M. K. Lo, for the defence, mentioned that his client had been detained overnight at the Imports and Exports Office. Questioned on this point, Mr. H. A. Taylor, Government Monopoly Analyst, stated that the Imports and Exports Office was regarded as a Police Station, and he thought the Superintendent (Mr. J. D. Lloyd) had authority to detain suspects. At the suggestion of Mr. Lindsell, the matter was dropped but was to be brought up again at yesterday's hearing in order that Mr. Lloyd might have an opportunity to investigate the matter.

Replying yesterday to Mr. Lo, his Worship remarked that he did not think the point was so important as to have any bearing on the case.

Mr. Lo: With all respect, your Worship, I submit it has a great bearing on the case should you choose to impose a penalty in the event of your finding against the defendant.

Unlawful Detention?

Continuing, Mr. Lo said that assuming the detention was an unlawful one, it should be taken into consideration. He had made the criticism deliberately, and he felt information should be given as to the Ordinance which gave the Government officials in question the power to detain any person. The fact now remained that Mr. Lo had either to withdraw his criticism or to repeat it. "I submit," said Mr. Lo, "that if your Worship finds there was a clear case of unlawful detention it should not escape your attention."

At the invitation of the Magistrate, Mr. Lloyd was asked to quote the Ordinances in substantiation of statements made by Mr. Taylor.

Mr. Lloyd: I consider it quite irrelevant to the merits of this case. The only possible case in which it might be relevant was if these people were arrested by persons who had not the power to arrest. I cannot see how it can affect this case in any way whatever, whether the defendants were detained or how long they were detained.

Mr. Lindsell: Mr. Taylor made a statement which Mr. Lo challenged. Have you any authority to support that statement?

In answer, Mr. Lloyd said that the Tobacco Ordinance regarded the Imports and Exports Office as a Police Station. In the Liquors and Opium Ordinances, Police Stations included the Imports and Exports Office. Mr. Lloyd intimated that he had consulted the Crown Solicitor, who said that when a Revenue Officer made an arrest he must take the person to his headquarters where the case must be gone into to ascertain if there was justification in taking further proceedings.

Mr. Lloyd's Contention.

Under the Magistrates' Ordinance, any person arrested had to be taken before a magistrate as soon as possible, but it did not mention that the prisoner must come before a Police Officer. If, however, the arrested person could not be brought before a Magistrate within 48 hours, then he had to be taken before a Police Officer with a view to granting bail. Under the Magistrates' Ordinance, said Mr. Lloyd, there was no question of having to take any person before a Police Officer before the lapse of 48 hours, if that individual had been lawfully arrested and charged before a Magistrate in due course.

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He further argued that nowhere in any Revenue Ordinances did it say that a Revenue Officer must take a person direct to the Police Station. It was only natural that the suspected person should be taken to the headquarters of the Revenue Officer.

Mr. Lloyd then proceeded to explain the cause of the detention in the present case.

Mr. Lindsell: It is clear, under the present law, that it is not lawful to detain a person in the Revenue Office for any length of time.

Mr. Lloyd: Under what Ordinance?

Mr. Lindsell: In general sense of law. I have not gone into it in detail but on the face of it the law only gives you power to arrest but it does not give you power of detention for any lengthy period. It gives the Police power to detain for 48 hours, but the Revenue Office have power to arrest only.

Evidence was then given regarding the alleged offences. At the end of the case, the Magistrate fined the defendant $1,00 on four charges. A *fuki*, who was accused of having aided his master, was discharged.

AVE ATQUE VALE!

NEW REGIMENT ARRIVES.

FINE RECORD IN WAR AND PEACE.

The 1st Battalion of the South Wales Borderers arrived in the Colony early yesterday on the troopship Lancashire which tied up along the North Wall of the Naval Dockyard shortly after 7 a.m. They are here to relieve the Somersets who depart early next week for India.

The South Wales Borderers was the old 24th Foot, and have been in Egypt for nearly three years. The regiment has a long list of battle honours and raised no less than eighteen battalions during the Great War for service on the various front. H.R.H. the Prince of Wales is the Colonel-in-Chief and General Sir Alexander Cobbe, V.C., is the Colonel.

The Officers.

The battalion is under the command of Lieut.-Colonel R. F. Gross, D.S.O., who has a very fine record in the South African and Great Wars. He was born in 1879 and was being twice mentioned in despacthes in South Africa from 1900 to 1902, being twice mentioned in despatches. He served from 1914 to 1917 during the Great War, was mentioned in despatches and awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

The full list of officers is:—Bt. Lieut.-Col. A. R. Godwin-Austin, O.B.E., M.C. (staff-headquarters), Squadron-Leader P. C. Wood (R.A.F.), Captains B. A. Blackden, C. F. Blackden, C. H. Morgan (adjutant), A. R. Smeathers, R. G. Lochner, D. Gottwaltz, C. C. Fowkes, M.C., G. C. Cooper.

Lieuts. R. Corbett, J. W. Hope, C. F. Cox, A. C. Hamilton, A. G. D. Home, A. J. Stocker, R. S. Cresswell, I. G. Moon, H. W. Tyler, H. M. Davies, F. F. S. Barlow, J. C. Richardson, T. H. S. Galletly, M. F. H. Waring, J. R. Welchman.

Besides very impressive battle honours, the battalion also boasts a very creditable record on the field of sport, and have a very strong rugger fifteen who won the Army Cup four years in succession at Home, and also the Egyptian Cup two years ago. They were runners-up in the Command Cup for soccer in Egypt and can field quite strong hockey and water polo teams.

Somersets Preparing to Leave.

These last few days have found the Somersets very busy getting things together in readiness to leave. They are now encamped on the Murray Parade ground which at the moment is covered with a cluster of tents and marquees. They have given several farewell parties during the past few weeks and on Sunday evening, the regimental band gave a concert on the tennis courts of Wellington Barracks, while the Sergeants were the hosts at a smoking concert which was well attended by the many friends which the regiment has made during its stay here.

THE UNIVERSITY'S TALENT.

REFLECTED IN ITS "EDUCATION JOURNAL."

The Education Society of the Hong Kong University has just produced its fifth number. When we consider its size—100 pages—and the quality of its contents we feel that the volume reflects very great credit upon those who have been responsible. The article on the "Claim of Practical Work to a place in the School Curriculum" by Prof. L. Forster, is one that should be read by all who are interested in the problem of the Trade Schools in this Colony, for the writer after treating the question from the philosophic and history point of view leads up to the application of the new theories in England and in China.

Chinese Dialects.

Another article which has a bearing on the local position educationally, is that entitled "The Chinese Spoken Language" by A. H. Fenwick, B.Sc., A.M.I.C.E. In the course of a very thoroughful argument, there is a plea for the appointment of a committee to investigate the various Northern dialects and to decide what standard Mandarin is. As this language in its various forms is spoken by the vast majority of Chinese it seems desirable to encourage its use here so that the educated Cantonese at least should be able to take a greater share in the public life of China.

Wide Interests.

Father D. J. Finn, S.J., M.A., continues his scholarly contributions to the journal. In this issue he deals with the character "Man" in the Chinese language. It is a fascinating study which the writer makes, succeeding, as he does, in conveying through the article, something of the painstaking zeal and pleasure which such a subject involves.

The Vice-Chancellor writes an excellent article on the Renaissance Ideal of Education, while Prof. Robertson has his lecture on "Utopias, Ancient and Modern" reproduced in full, for the benefit of those who were not able to be present and enjoy it when it was given in March.

Health and the Schools.

Dr. E. M. Minett, whose work brings her into contact with the school population through medical inspection, contributes an important article on school health. "The obstacles to good health," she says, "which one notices in class rooms are not the lack of weighty tomes containing the arguments of exports, but the sun blinds rolled up that might be shading the eyes, the top window closed that might be letting out the state air, the child cultivating—and seldom failing to achieve—shortsight by holding his pen four inches from his nose, the teacher showing ill-cared for teeth instead of setting a shining example in a daily 'tooth inspection.'"

Schools and Youth.

Mr. B. G. Birch gives an interesting account of "Abbotsholme" a public school in Derbyshire with which he is personally acquainted. The school seems to combine the best features of "Lovetto" as reformed under Almond and the Perse School in Cambridge together with special features of its own introduced by the founder, Dr. Reddie. The journal contains excelent articles, also by Miss E. Thom on "The Teaching of the Young Child," "The Early Years of Jean Jacques Roussian" by Mr. Hughes. Reader in History. "The St. John's Ambulance Brigade—it's Work of Schools" by Mrs. Langley, one by Liang Pin Hin, B.A., on the "Novel in Education," while Mr. W. Norrie put on paper his thoughts on "Art and its Place in Modern Life."

A Faculty of Leisure.

The journal ends appropriately enough with a delightful account of the need for a new faculty in the University by "Saltuns," "A Faculty of Leisure." In these days of *great technical improvements* and consequent over production, and the emergence of a big leisured class at the lower end of the scale owing to enforced idleness, it does seem appropriate that a University should cater for the idle moments or years of idle people by awarding a degree called the "Bachelor of Leisure" to one who has proved his efficiency in the theory of the subject and the degree Master of Leisure to the one who has proved his efficiency in using his leisure activity for the adornment of Society.

There are the usual book reviews, and accounts of the activities of Education society.

Altogether the Editor, Dr. Lo Kui Hung, is to be high congratulater on the excellence of the material he has got together and the manner in which he has produced it.

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NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that the SINGAPORE TRANSFER REGISTERS will be CLOSED From MONDAY, 8TH DECEMBER to THURSDAY, 18TH DECEMBER, 1930 (Both Days inclusive) for the preparation of Dividend Warrants

By Order of the Board,
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THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS SOCIETY IN HONG KONG.

THIS Society is a Voluntary Organisation whose aim is to educate and make effective public opinion in the Colony concerning the LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

The INAUGURAL MEETING of the Society will be held on WEDNESDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER, in ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL HALL, at 5.30 P.M.

Will all those who are interested in the work of the League of Nations feel that their Attendance at this Meeting in most cordially invited.

Opportunity to become a member of the Society will be given during the Meeting. If unable to attend, kindly apply for Membership to HON. SECRETARY,

LEAGUE OF NATIONS SOCIETY,
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PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on MONDAY, the 24TH DAY of NOVEMBER, 1930, at 3 P.M., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, of One Lot of CROWN LAND at Wong Nai Chung, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of HIS MAJESTY THE KING, for one further term of 75 years.

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			ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.		$	$
2	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1421.	Adjoining Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1291, Yu Chau Street.	As per sale plan				About 12,090	84	21,168

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3	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1432.	Junction of Yu Chau Street and Ma Tau Kok Road.	As per sale plan				About 8,510	68	4,893

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WEATHER REPORT.

Yesterday's weather report, forecast and remarks, issued by the Royal Observatory at 4.45 p.m., stated:—

The anti-cyclone remains over central Japan. The depression has moved to the north of Shantung. Moderate monsoon will prevail over the China Sea.

Local Forecast:—N. and N.E. winds, moderate; fine.

MARRIAGES.

BARCLAY—MCINNES.—On November 14, at Shanghai, MARION BELL, daughter of the late DONALD MCINNES and Mrs. MCINNES, of Gourock, Scotland, to WILLIAM PEARSON, son of the late JAMES BARCLAY and Mrs. BARCLAY, of Greenock, Scotland.

DAVIS—TYRTOFF.—On October 20, 1930, at Haiphong, DONALD CATER DAVIS, of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, to NATALIE, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. TYRTOFF, Harbin (late of Vladivostock). [10139

DEATHS.

REMEDIOS.—On November 14, at Shanghai, JOSE ANTONIO DOS REMEDIOS, aged 62 years. Beloved husband of MARIA NORONHA DOS REMEDIOS.

CONRAD.—On November 15, at Shanghai, HANS S. B. CONRAD, of the "Sapt" Textile Products, Ltd., dearly beloved husband of MARY CONRAD, aged 32 years.

FEDEROVA.—On November 14, at Shanghai, ANNA YACOLEVNA FEDEROVA, aged 27.

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THE BRIGAND MENACE IN CHINA.

THE aftermath of war is often worse than war itself to a civilian population. Even in the Chinese civil wars some sort of control was exercised over the troops, and in the latter stages leaders like CHIANG KAI SHEK, FENG YU HSIANG and YEN HSI SHAN kept good discipline. Moreover, when a responsible military commander takes control of a district he sets up an organisation to keep the populace as well as the troops at least in the bare necessities of life. But the sudden coming of peace in China and the retirement of several war lords, whose heavy hands maintained a degree of order in their respective districts, has let loose a host of unruly and adventurous brigands, whose sole object is pillage and rapine. There was urgent need for CHIANG KAI SHEK'S appeal to his colleagues, for a very serious situation has developed.

Yesterday came the news of an attack on the Peiping-Suiyuan Railway when 700 brigands first looted a station and then pirated the train. In the provinces of Honan and Kiangsi, anarchy is rife and the "Red" irregulars are committing unspeakable outrage against people of all classes. The victims already number about 150,000, and a million and a half of refugees have fled to other provinces. In the South the situation is less serious, but the standing menace of the Reds under CHU TAK remains on the Northern Kwangtung border, and in Kwangsi, the remnants of the Kwangsai "Ironside" alliance still immobilise large forces which should be putting down brigands and pirates.

The task, though formidable, should not, however, cause the Nanking Government political anxiety comparable to that arising from the recent rebellions. That the "Reds" are really actuated by political motives; that the different bands are acting in co-operation, or that they enjoy any measure of popular support is unlikely. They are the lawless element; the soldiers of fortune who have no wish to return to civil life, and the adventurous spirits from famine areas who seek more fortunate neighbours. CHIANG KAI SHEK'S problem is one of policing, and his foremost duty for the next few months will be that of China's chief constable.

To restore order in the vast Republic, with its few roads and many mountainous areas, is doubtless a formidable task. There are, however, reliable troops who can now be used for garrison duty in the bandit areas, and, if they cannot smoke out the brigand lairs they can prevent big scale raids on railways and important towns. Brigandage on the scale now practised in China can only be worn down slowly, but returning prosperity will do more to break up the robber gangs even than military action. Horrible tragedies will be enacted, and it will be fortunate indeed if foreigners go unscathed. These things follow in the trail of war and it will take months for the great storm through which China has passed to subside.

BRITAIN'S STRUGGLE FOR PROSPERITY.

THE failure of the Imperial Conference on the economic side has already drawn an emphatic protest from a quarter which the Government will be ill-advised to ignore. The National Council of Industry and Commerce, whose statement we publish elsewhere, is presided over by Sir WILLIAM MORRIS, the motor magnate, and includes many of the heads of the leading industrial firms and commercial houses in Britain. It has been called into being for the purposes of council and co-operation between those responsible for the policy of great enterprises, which the complexity of modern industry have made to an increasing degree dependent one upon another. An emphatic protest has been registered by this body against the Government for "subordinating economics to politics" to the extent of refusing even to examine certain lines of fiscal reform. The suggestion is that the Government will not consider the imposition of tariffs, because they are afraid of popular resentment against a possible rise in prices. Prosperity, they allege, is being sacrificed to electioneering.

Recently, Sir FELIX SCHUSTER, a former president of the British Bankers' Association, warned the nation that fiscal changes were needed. Bankers are the greatest protagonists of Free Trade, and his opinion is therefore of grave significance. In a recent speech he said: "I have been a free trader all my life. I am still of the opinion that free trade would be best for us—best for the world—that the constantly rising trade barriers between an increasing number of States is a great injury to them as well as to ourselves, and must inevitably raise the cost of living all round. At the International Chamber of Commerce some of us have fought against them as hard as we could; representatives of most foreign nations have agreed with us, but their Governments have remained obdurate. So long as they are under the impression that we are not prepared to use the one weapon that is in our hands they will not change their attitude, but if they are told that we, their best customers, may be compelled to use defensive measures on our side also I think a great change may take place, and this I believe to be the method to bring about the universal lowering of tariffs to which we all aspire. Let us remember that nations, like individual traders, can only prosper if their neighbours are prosperous. COBDEN'S great effort was to attain this end by negotiation and mutual understanding. His outstanding achievement was the commercial treaty with France, in which mutual concessions were made. Furthermore, COBDEN'S teaching was based on the free movement of labour to the localities which held out the best prospects of employment—he was opposed to the regulation of working hours or wages by Government. Thus our present system is not free trade as he conceived it. We must further remember that in addition to Customs tariff against our exports we have to fight against all sorts of subsidies, bounties, reductions of the cost of transport, and so forth, all calculated to stimulate the export of goods to us below their actual cost of production. The safeguarding of our industries against such artificial and uneconomic conditions does appear to me not only justifiable but inevitable.

"The establishment of closer commercial relations with the Dominions must be attractive to everyone. Now that a new atmosphere has been created, that a desire is shown by the Dominions for closer relations, any proposals put forward should be submitted to the most careful study."

Sir FELIX SCHUSTER does not like a Chinese wall round the Empire, but he refuses to consider their possible effect at the present time of economic crisis is no testimonial to the wisdom of the Labour Government.

★ News and Views ★

The Hamburg-Wilhemsburg oil industry has decided to introduce the six hours' working day in order to give at least partial employment to a larger number of workers than at present under the eight hours system.

An all-night search has revealed the bodies of Lieut. W. B. Hollingworth of the U.S. Navy and Machinist Mate A. O. Pierson. Their aeroplane crashed last week in fog 50 miles to the north of San Diego. An accompanying 'plane piloted by Lieut. R. L. Fuller also crashed, but no one was injured.

The Government of Cuba last week notified the State Department that the situation resulting from the application of miliary law is now well under control. The text of the message was not published. President Machado applied military law as a measure of protection after serious student riots of political origin.

There was much talk of Henry Irving and theatrical tradition at the Savoy Theatre when "The Lyons Mail" was revived. Sir John Martin-Harvey, in his speech, referred affectionately to Irving as "the old man"; he had played the part of the boy Joliquet to Irving's Dubosc at the Lyceum in 1891, a performance which brought him for the first time into public notice. Irving had, however, first appeared as Dubosc and Lesurques a good many years before that—in 1877—and he played the parts for the last time in London in 1901. His son, the late H. B. Irving, revived the old play at the Shaftesbury in 1908.

Flying Slang.

Flying slang is one of the most extensive. A "Chinese ace," in the jargon of the transatlantic aviator, is the fellow who has made a Chinese landing—Wun Wing Low, which usually results in the damaging or smashing up of a 'plane. The floor is not the ground. Quite the contrary. When a flying man says "I had her on the floor," he means the floor of the rarefied upper air in which a 'plane can hardly fly. On the floor means as high up as she could possibly fly with the load she carried. A careless pilot, prone to complaining of having had engine trouble, or weather or wing trouble, is spoken of as having had pilot trouble. A kiwi is a pretty poor sort of pilot, in allusion to that quaint New Zealand bird with atrophied wings which merely help it to run. A sweet pilot is a good one. A dizzy pilot is not, as one might imagine, a highflyer who rises to dizzy heights, but a reckless stunter—a hedgehopper, in fact, as another name calls him.

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution the Austrian Government has already handed to the President of the Austrian Parliament the Budget for 1931. In the new Budget revenue is estimated at £63,000,000 and expenditure at £62,000,000, leaving a surplus of £1,000,000.

George "Bugs" Moran, "Scarface" Al Capone's chief rival in Chicago's underworld, were captured by detectives last month in a cottage at "Cassidy's Resort," on Bluff Lake, near Waukegan, Illinois. Moran was found in circumstances indicating that he is now apparently down and out, with no real following, and has been living in fear of an attack by Capone's gunmen.

The three grounds of the Wanderers' Cricket Club, Johannesburg—on one of which the M.C.C. team will begin a Test match on November 29—have been pegged as gold claims. The pegging was apparently the work of an old prospector, whose imagination had been fired by a recent report that a quartz reef had been discovered on a part of the cricket grounds. It appears, however, that the pegging is illegal.

Many well-known lawn tennis players were at the Didsbury Parish Church when Miss Edna Gertrude Newton, of Par House, Didsbury, who has been a regular member of the Lancashire county ladies' team for five years, was married to Mr. Geoffrey Buckley, of Clumber House, Poynton. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Canon Ross, B.D., vicar of Eccles. Mr. H. V. Newton, brother a well-known county player, was the best man, and Mr. Eric T. Hollins, the Cheshire and Wimbledon player, was groomsman.

Mr. Ford's Treasure.

Mr. Henry Ford, his eyes blazing and blinking to the faith and fire within him, has left England's shores on his return to America last month. He back with him a deep admiration for the intensive zeal and too pessimistic view of our own prospects. He also takes with him a little object in a leather case which was presented to him by a German steel magnate. This object is no larger than a pipe-claner. It is a knife. It contains some 200 blades and gadgets. It also contains a corkscrew. "But what," Mr. Ford was asked, "will you do with that?" Mr. Ford smiled the smile of the prophet. "Surely," another guest asked him, "a man of your principles should have no need for a corkscrew?" Mr. Ford smiled again. "Mouth wash," he answered.

The R.101 inquiry is being held in a court where conditions of space will exclude all but 30 of the general public. When the inquiry into the loss of the Titanic was held in 1912 by the late Lord Mersey the hall of the London Scottish in Buckingham Gate was lent.

Those who read in her letters that Queen Victoria distrusted Lord Randolph Churchill's "Tory Democracy" will not be surprised. "Randy" was not the original conceiver of that idea. The credit should go to the late Justin McCarthy, who, in a novel called "Waterdale Neighbours," worked the whole thing out in quite an attractive way. That was when Lord Randolph was a youngster of 17.

Early in the year Mr. Lansbury did away with the railings dividing the grass lands in Hyde Park from the broad asphalt pavement leading from Marble Arch to the Serpentine. No one asked for their removal. It was a gesture. Bare patches resulted. Now the railings were replaced. Men with spades and forks have been turning over the soil before returning the worn down places. When the turf has recovered the railings will go again—so it is said!

The authorities at Burngreave Cemetery, Sheffield, have taken action regarding the placing of wooden crosses on graves. It has been customary for poor people to place small wooden crosses on graves when they could not afford a stone monument. These were looked upon as temporary crosses, although, in practice, they were allowed to remain. Lately large wooden crosses of a more permanent nature have been put up, and the authorities have refused to allow this to continue, in the general interests of the cemetery.

Cupid's Bow.

Of all the delightful young misses
I meet but can never explain,
The one most pursued for her kisses
Is a bright little flapper named Jane.

When I met her first, she was gazing,
At me with an air of surprise,
And it wasn't so very amazing
That she laid me out flat with her eyes.

But *they* weren't the point of distraction
To all the he-men, young and old:
Indeed, *some* could view that attraction,
And remain unbelievably cold.

No! No! It was something more glamorous
Than eyes that were dark as a sloe:
What made all the lizards so amorous
Was, her lips were a true Cupid's Bow!

★ Local Notes and Events ★

Two cases of typhoid and two of diphtheria, one of the latter being "non-Chinese," were reported on Monday.

The final of the Ladies Singles Championship of the Colony will played at the U.S.R.C. ground at 3.30 to-morrow, and not at 3 p.m. as previously advertised.

Before Mr. H. R. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, two Russian lads were charged with stowing away on board the Empress of Japan from Shanghai. It was stated that both defendants wanted to get to Manila. The case was remanded for 24 hours.

The Rev. N. V. Halvard, who was to have spoken at yesterday's meeting of the V.D.M.A. at St. John's Cathedral Hall, was unable to be present, as he had fallen a victim to the dengue epidemic. Mr. Halvard is making good progress and hopes to be at work again in a few days.

When the case in which Mr. W. Tansley was summoned by his wife for alleged assault on November 4, was called at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, Mr. W. F. Kerr, first clerk of the Magistracy, handed a letter up to Mr. H. R. Butters, who, after reading it, ordered a week's remand.

Among residents who returned to the Colony yesterday by the Empress of Japan were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. F. Bellamy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rouse, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Haslam, Mr. G. C. Moxon, Mr. J. E. Joseph, Mr. F. A. Joseph, Mr. W. H. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. L. Dunbar, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Humphreys.

Pleading guilty to a charge of stealing clothing and valuables from Mr. Chadwick and Mr. Read, of 1, Wing Lok Buildings, Nathan Road, a Chinese was sentenced to four months rigid labour by Mr. Butters yesterday. It was stated that the defendant was a "cat" burglar and had entered the complainant's house by climbing up some scaffolding.

A report has been made to the Police to the effect that a customer, after calling at the Savalanie Silk Store, left a $100 note for goods purchased. The note was afterwards found to be a forgery and the Police are investigating the matter.

For the theft of a quantity of beans used as fodder for cattle at the Dairy Farm a Chinese was fined $25 by Mr. R. E. Lindsell at the Central Magistracy yesterday. It was stated that the defendant was intercepted by an Indian store-keeper, when leaving the premises, and the beans were discovered in a bucket which he was carrying.

Serious damage was caused by fire to a motor car which was proceeding along Lockhart Road in Wanchai yesterday. The driver jumped out when the car suddenly caught fire, apparently owing to a leak in the petrol pipe. Owing to the confusion that ensued, it was some time before the Fire Brigade was called to assist, and the body of the vehicle had then been destroyed flames.

Appearing before Mr. Lindsell at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a summons for occupying Crown land without permission, a Chinese replied that he was making hawkers' stalls for the Police Department and had left them on Crown land pending their delivery. The defendant, it was stated, had been warned of his action, but he did not apply for a permit nor did he take notice of the warning. A fine of $25 was imposed.

The frequent falling of large piece of cement facing from the wall of a building at Pedder Street was mentioned at the Central Magistracy yesterday, when a Chinese contractor was summoned for failing to prevent the material from dropping into the streets. Sergt. [illegible] said the *debris* was a [illegible] Since notice had been taken against the defendant, an adequate hoarding had been erected. A fine of $50 was imposed.

At the Central Magistracy yesterday, Mr. H. A. Taylor, of the Imports and Exports Office, summoned the master of the Tsuen Hing wine shop for receiving into his custody twenty jars containing 80 gallons of spirit without having the usual labels attached to them. Appearing for the defence, Mr. Horace Lo told the Court that he understood the present proceedings had something to do with a distillery case already before the Court, and he suggested that the case be left over, pending decision of the other hearing. The case was then adjourned *sine die*.

Looking Back 25 Years.

The *Japan Chronicle* understands that the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, in consultation with the Government authorities, has been considering measures for the development of its various lines now that the war is over. It is stated the company does not intend establishing new lines but proposes more frequent services on the European, Bombay, Seattle, and Australian runs with vessels of larger tonnage than those in use before the war. The coasting trade will extend its services to China, Korea, and Vladivostock. As funds will be required for new steamers, etc., it is proposed to use a portion of the reserves, which now amount to 10,000,000 yen.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, November 20, 1905.

Looking Back 50 Years.

The *bête noire* of shipowners and merchant captains, the Woosung Bar, is again attracting attention in Shanghai. The steamer Devonshire has lately been detained several days outside this abominable obstruction to navigation, and other vessels have also experienced detention. The matter is most serious, more especially as the veil grows every year with the silting up of the sand and mud at the mouth of the Hwangpoo. The river Hoang-ho has been not inaptly termed China's Sorrow; the Woosung Bar may be named Shanghai's Sorrow. The "Heaven Sent Barrier" is a misnomer altogether.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, November 20, 1880.

INDIAN ROUND-TABLE CONFERENCE.

UNITED STATES OF INDIA WITHIN THE EMPIRE.

SHORTEST WAY TO DOMINION STATUS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Nov. 19.

The plenary session of the Round Table Conference continued the general discussion.

Limitation of Speeches.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, Prime Minister, at the outset, asked for the production of the names of possible speakers to enable the discussion to finish to-morrow, and so that the Committees can be appointed without delay.

The Prime Minister, after five speeches were delivered to-day, again raised the question of the length and number of speeches, and he semi-humourously suggested that the only alternative to limitation was to adopt the practice in the House of Commons and suspend the eleven o'clock rule and have continuous sittings.

The Conference decided that speeches in future be limited to ten minutes, subject to the discretion of the Chairman in exceptional cases.

LONDON, Nov. 18.

Dramatic speeches were made at the resumption of the Round Table Conference, when the Maharajah of Alwar visualised a "United States of India" within the Empire, and said that the Indian States sought no new territories or powers, but a practical application of their treaties and alliances, and that the extra rights outside the treaties should be frankly and openly discussed and decided only by mutual consent.

"Eastern" and "Western" Conceptions.

As regards British India, there were two alternatives, namely, the "Eastern" or "Western" conception. By the first, British India might be formed again into India States. That would bring the true Swaraj considerably nearer to perpetuate the link with the Crown. "It is the shortest and quickest way to Dominion status."

As regards the Western conception of a responsible self-government, the Maharajah of Alwar said that one word, "franchise" alone, originated in communal friction. It created complexities for adjusting the future relations of democratic India with the India States.

Impetus to Indian Aspirations.

Sir Muhammad Shafi (a Punjab Moslem) said that since Lord Macaulay's vision in 1833 of the India of the future demanding European institutions, the British Parliament had succumbed to sleeping sickness, its tardy measures and long intervals, instead of satisfying, gave a further impetus to Indian aspirations.

Sir Muhammad Shafi expressed the opinion that if a solution satisfying to Indians with legitimate aspirations were reached, "I tremble to think what the situation will be."

He declared that the position of Moslems was the simplest. They wanted India to attain Dominion status as an equal partner in the British Commonwealth, and believed that a federal system alone would suit the circumstances.

Willingness to Enter All-India Federation.

He, therefore, welcomed the declarations of the Maharajahs Bikanir and Alwar that the Indian States were willing to enter an All-India Federation, and appealed to the British delegation to take its courage in both hands, and declared that if India were satisfied, then all the Imperial problems—defence of trade and unemployment—would be solved in a measurable distance of time.

Devotion of Native Princes.

The Maharajah of Rewar (representing the Conservative element of the Indian States) said that all the Princes sympathised with the legitimate aspirations of the leaders of thought in British India.

He emphasised the Princes' devotion to the Crown, and said that they did not desire federation if that involved the gradual disappearance of all that the States stood for.

Viceroy's Words Misinterpreted.

Lord Peel (Conservative) said that the Viceroy's words had been misinterpreted in some political circles in India. There was no promise therein of the immediate translation into fact of full Dominion status.

Danger of Changes.

Lord Peel said that British Conservatives were anxious that if the some constitution, there was a strong party in India which would merely use the powers granted for furthering its own separatist, independent ends.

Danger of Too Rapid Changes.

Sir Hubert Carr, speaking for Europeans in British India, said that they thoroughly sympathised with the Indian aspirations, but warned them of the danger of too rapid changes.

Tremendous Gain.

Lord Peel expressed the opinion that a unitary Government was impossible. He was inclined to the federal idea which the speeches of the conference have proved to have grown rapidly. That was a tremendous gain.

Federal Union of Princes and Provinces.

Lord Peel said he considered that the idea of some sort of federal union of Princes and provinces is so fruitful that it would be a misfortune if the Conference did not lay the foundations of it. He urged the Conference to work in that direction.

Federal System.

An indication of how the work of the Round Table Conference is gathering momentum is the proposal of the Business Committee that a committee should be appointed to consider the structure of a federal system for India, with Mr. Wedgwood Benn as Chairman, and 32 members, including six representatives of the British delegation, 10 of the Indian States delegation, 16 of the British Indian delegation.

Various amendments have been submitted to this scheme, which the Business Committee must consider, and the delegates have been warned that in view of the number of delegates who wish to speak in full debate, there is likelihood of the plenary session continuing until Thursday.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Nov. 19.

The general discussion was continued to-day at the Indian Round Table Conference.

The newspapers state that the tone of the speeches so far and the wide latitude allowed to the speakers by the President has created optimistic feelings among the Indian delegates.

The proposal of the Business Committee was again on the agenda to-day that following the general discussion, a Federal Relations Committee should be appointed to consider the structure of the federal system of Indian Government as regards relations between the States and British India, and those between the Provinces of British India and the centre, and to make recommendations on the main principle to be applied. This was proposed with further recommendations from the Business Committee as to its composition, and was before the Conference yesterday, but the President settled that the various suggested amendments of the scheme which were handed in should be considered by a committee before the main proposal was submitted to the Conference. No objection was raised to this course, and the Business Committee having now considered the amendments, the whole question is ready for discussion.

Perpetuating the Link With the Crown.

RUGBY, Nov. 18.

The Round Table Conference to-day continued the general discussion on the Indian constitutional problem, and it now appears probable that the Plenary Session, which began yesterday, will continue until Thursday.

The first four speakers were the Maharajah of Alwar, Sir Munammad Shafi, the Maharajah of Rewar, and Lord Peel, and a full summary of these speeches was transmitted earlier.

The Maharajah of Alwar, who described federation as the shortest way to Dominion status, said that it simplified the problem of the rulers uniting in a common body to work out the problems of India. It would perpetuate the link with the Crown through the Viceroy and would maintain in strong bonds the commercial and trade relations with Britain. With the Hindu, Mohammedan, Sikh, and other States so formed communal questions would be set at rest and religious liberties to every section would be assured.

Recalling India's help during the war he said that it was now Britain's turn to help India to reach the position of the sister Dominions within the Empire, beyond which position they had no desire to go.

Moslem View.

Sir Muhammad Shafi, who paid a tribute to the Viceroy, said that the federal system would alone suit the circumstances of the case and declared that 71,000,000 Mussulmans desired that in the evolution of India they should have their legitimate share, both in the provincial and the central Government.

Danger of Precipitation.

The Maharajah of Rewar pointed out the dangers of precipitation, and said that the Indian States

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CAPTIVE MISSIONARIES IN FUKIEN.

BANDITS CONTROL HINTERLAND.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEIPING, Nov. '9.

The German Legation has no confirmation of the report from Hong Kong of the death of the missionary named Fischle, but states that three Basle missionaries, Fischle and Kelpper (Germans) and Walter (Swiss), were captured by bandits in the Kayingchow district on August 17, 1929.

Kelpper was separated from the others on September 2, 1929, and was set free on February 3, 1930, on the payment of a ransom of about $5,600 by the mission at Kayingchow.

The Chinese authorities sent several expeditions from Kayingchow against the bandits in an attempt to obtain the release of the others, but the bandits carried the missionaries into the very mountainous district of Fungshan, in eastern Kwangtung, and their efforts at release failed.

The last news from the missionaries was received in May, when a letter arrived from them.

The bandits control most of the districts in the hinterland from Swatow, where most of the German mission stations are in the hands of the Reds. Only Wuping and Shanghang remain quiet. The German Sisters come to Swatow for safety, but several German male missionaries are working at missions at places in great danger, as the Reds in many places have disarmed the local militia and dominate the situation.

MISSION SUPERIOR CAPTURED.

TOTAL NOW TWENTY-FOUR IN CAPTIVITY.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, Nov. 19.

The Very Reverend C. Tierney (Ireland), Superior of St. Columban's Mission, Kienchang, 80 miles south-east of Nanchang, has been captured by Communists.

There are no details of the capture.

This makes a total of 24 foreign male and female missionaries held captive by bandits and Communists.

INFLUX OF BANDITS TO HUNAN.

EIGHTEEN MISSIONARIES STILL MISSING.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, Nov. 19.

Reports from Hunan state that the influx of bandits and Communists from Kiangsi is making conditions worse in Hunan.

The Augustinian Mission headquarters here state that 18 out of 33 missionaries in Hunan are at present missing, and that the conditions are now the worst since the Augustinians went into the province 50 years ago.

The fact that they are missing, however, does not necessarily mean that all have been captured, as it is believed that some are in hiding and others are deviously finding their way to Hankow.

Among those in hiding is the Bishop Carbajal.

The Augustinian Mission property at Pingkiang, Huajang and Lichow was recently looted when those towns were captured.

At Lichow Fathers Icasaro and Leopoldo were captured, but seven of the Chinese sisters fled with 300 orphans under their care.

Father Fernandez, who was captured four months ago at Nanhsieh, is still captive, and with him are two American missionaries, whose names are unknown.

LINER HIGHLAND HOPE ASHORE.

PASSENGERS TAKE TO THE LIFEBOATS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LISBON, Nov. 19.

The 14,000-ton British motor liner Highland Hope is ashore near Farilhoes.

The vessel has wirelessed for help.

The passengers have taken to the lifeboats, which a trawler is towing.

A tug is proceeding to the liner's assistance.

Strikes Dangerous Reef in Dense Fog.

LATER.

The Highland Hope struck a dangerous reef in a dense fog at four o'clock in the morning.

The passengers, who were half-dressed, some of them being in their night-clothes, were landed safely.

The Captain refused to leave the bridge, hoping to save the ship, which is doubtful.

A portion of the crew are remaining on board to assist the salvage ships.

SHANGHAI FOREIGN POPULATION.

DRAWN FROM FORTY-THREE NATIONS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, Nov. 19.

The Municipal Council's census of the International Settlement which was recently completed shows the total population to be 1,007,968, of which 36,471 are foreigners, a total increase since 1925 of 167,042, the foreign increase being 6,524.

The Settlement's cosmopolitan population is drawn from 43 nations.

CANADIAN TRADE MISSION.

DUE TO ARRIVE AT HONG KONG ON FRIDAY.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, Nov. 19.

The Canadian Trade Mission are arriving at Hong Kong on board the P. & O. liner Karmala, due at daylight on Friday.

FIVE MEMBERS ARRIVE YESTERDAY.

The following five members of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce Trade Commission, who are making a tour of the Far East, arrived in Hong Kong yesterday by R.M.S. Empress of Japan:—

Mr. H. J. Oldaker, Manager of the Oriental branch of the Bank of Montreal, Vancouver.

Mr. Max Steinkopf, prominent lawyer of Winnipeg.

Mr. R. S. Kelsch, prominent consulting engineer of Montreal.

Mr. Mayne D. Hamilton, Supervisor, Canadian Bank of Commerce, Vancouver, and Vice-President of the Vancouver Board of Trade.

Mr. J. O. Cameron, connected with the Associated Timber Exporters, Victoria, B.C.

VISIT TO CANTON.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

CANTON, Nov. 19.

The Canadian Trade Mission, which is visiting China with the object of improving the trade between China and Canada, is expected to arrive in Canton on Saturday morning.

A report has been received that the Mission left Shanghai for the south to-day, and will arrive in Hong Kong on Friday.

The Mission will stay in Hong Kong for one day only.

The Canadian delegation consists of 26 persons, all prominent captains of industry and commerce. It is headed by Mr. John Imrie, Vice-President of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce. They are all experts representing various industries and trades. Their sole object in coming to China is to study the conditions here with a view to augmenting Canadian trade in China.

The Canadian Government, it is learned, has long been wanting to extend its trade to China, realizing the vast consuming power of the Chinese. For some reason or other Canada has neglected the Far East as a trading centre. It is therefore the purpose of the Mission to make proper connections for the extension of Canada's trade to China. Among the commodities which Canada can well compete with other nations in the Far East are woollen products, papers, flour, shrimps, motor cars, storage batteries and dry cells, shoes, type metals, electrical wares and lumber.

The Canton Municipal Government in co-operation with the Canton General Chamber of Commerce is quite pleased over the coming visit of the Canadian Mission and is making preparations to welcome it.

KUOMINTANG PLENARY SESSION.

DISBANDMENT CONFERENCE POSTPONED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, Nov. 18.

Attended by over 700 prominent members of the Nationalist Government, the Fourth Kuomintang Plenary Session had its final meeting this afternoon when the proceedings were presided over by Yu Yu Jen.

At the conclusion of the meeting, Marshal Chiang Kai Shek delivered a speech announcing the formal close of the Session.

The proposal of Marshal Chiang Kai Shek for a session of the Disbandment Conference, which had been scheduled for to-day, has been indefinitely postponed.

It is understood that the Nanking and Manchurian leaders have reached an understanding concerning the disbandment of the Kuominchun and Shansi armies.

In view of the Soviet pressure on the Manchurian frontier and the prospect of another deadlock at the Moscow Conference, General Chang has complied with the majority of the Nanking proposals, hence the postponement of the Disbandment Conference.

BRITISH TROOPS IN CHINA.

SUFFICIENT TO PROTECT BRITISH INTERESTS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Nov. 18.

In the House of Commons to-day, at question-time, at the conclusion of an enumeration of British forces in China, Mr. Tom Shaw, the Secretary of State for War, repeated that there are sufficient British troops in China to protect British interests, particularly British lives.

MORE TROUBLE IN AMOY.

MERCHANTS THREATEN TO SUSPEND BUSINESS.

According to a Chinese report from Amoy, the merchants there are threatening to suspend business as a protest against excessive taxation.

There are in Amoy numerous additional taxes which are the chief cause of the trade decline there. There has been much complaint from the merchants to which the authorities have paid no heed, but on the contrary they recently decided to increase the tax rate.

This has led to a strong protest by merchants who held a meeting last week to discuss the matter, when it was decided to suspend business if the new increases were not withdrawn.

[illegible] received telegrams from Amoy advising them not to ship goods there for the time being pending a settlement of the matter.

CLEANING UP RACKETEERS.

CHICAGO DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S CAMPAIGN.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.

Mr. John Rockefeller, jun., Mr. Owen D. Young, and Mr. Charles Schwab are amongst 50 of the leading men and women who have been invited by the District Attorney to meet him to consider means for suppressing the racketeers who are preying on business.

CHICAGO, Nov. 19.

A poll of 75 per cent. of the members of the American Bar Association has revealed that 14,872 are in favour of the repeal of Prohibition, with 6,340 against repeal.

JAPANESE PREMIER.

NO FURTHER BULLETINS TO BE ISSUED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, Nov. 19.

Owing to Mr. Hamaguchi's satisfactory progress, no further official bulletins will be issued.

It is hoped that he will have recovered sufficiently to attend the Diet after the New Year Recess.

ANTI-SOVIET PLOT DISCOVERED.

LEADING COMMUNISTS SUDDENLY ARRESTED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, Nov. 18.

It is reported from Moscow that following the recent arrest of M. Syrtzof, the former Premier of the Soviet Republic, as a result of a bitter attack made by him on M. Stalin, a widespread conspiracy against M. Stalin has been discovered.

A number of leading Communists were suddenly arrested, those now in custody including M. Andreyeff, who is a member of the Supreme Military Council, and General V. Blucher-Galen, who until recently has been *féted* as a national hero for his victory over the Chinese in the Chinese Eastern Railway conflict in Manchuria.

M. Antipoff, the People's Commissar of Posts and Telegraphs, is alleged to be at the head of the conspiracy, though up to the present there is no report of his arrest.

A number of leading Russian military officers now under arrest are also believed to be involved in the plot.

INDUSTRIAL UNREST IN SPAIN.

SITUATION IN BARCELONA IMPROVING.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

MADRID, Nov. 18.

After a two-days' general strike, in which four people were killed and 12 injured, the situation in Barcelona is improving. Shops are re-opening and the trams are running.

[illegible] spreading in Alicante, where the police are guarding public buildings, and where no newspapers are being published.

OBITUARY.

CAPT. JAMES WOLFE-MURRAY.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

The death is announced of Capt. James Wolfe-Murray, former Chief of Staff to the Commander-in-Chief, China Squadron.

eventually combine in an all-Indian federation with a strong responsible and representative central Government. He asked for adequate and statutory protection of minority interests, and urged that his community be given something in the nature of a bill of rights so that they should not lose their positions merely because they were partly Indian and partly European.

Federal Relations Committee.

The Indian States delegation and the British-Indian delegation held meetings to-day to chose their representatives on the Federal Relations Committee. This will consist of 32 members, six representing the British delegation, ten Indian States, and 16 British-India, with Captain Wedgwood Benn presiding.

At to-day's British Indian meeting, over which the Aga Khan presided, a discussion took place on the relative merits of unitary and federal constitutions, and various viewpoints were expressed.

When the plenary sitting of the Indian Round Table Conference resumed to-day, the Maharajah of Alwar urged that, for the well-being of their national cause, they must give up all the little quarrels and differences.

When opportunities came they would put forward their points of view in greater detail, but they sought no new territories or powers, but only a practical application of their treaties and alliances. Usage, sufferance and political practice had for diverse reasons encroached upon these treaties, and they desired that such extra rights outside the treaties, assumed without their consent, might be frankly discussed and decided only by mutual consent.

Discussing federation, he said many held the view that British India might be formed again into States. This would bring true Swaraj as a living reality considerably nearer, and would perpetuate the link with the Crown through its representatives the Viceroy. With Hindu, Mohammedan, Sikh, and other States so formed, it would set at rest communal questions. Above all it would maintain in strong bonds the commercial and trade relations with Britain.

It necessitated an Imperial army to safeguard the Crown's obligations and to protect the ports and frontiers, with an internal army of States maintained for security and assistance in emergencies to every section of India's population, and assistance in emergencies to every section of India's population, and is carried on the tradition of India's rule according to her history of hundreds of centuries. And, finally, coming to federation, or what he preferred to call the United States of India, it immediately simplified the problem of the rulers working in a common body to work out the problem of India. Here was the shortest and quickest way to Dominion Status.

The Maharajah expressed the view that India should achieve her position on a footing of equality with her sister Dominions within the Empire, and arrive at a situation of fully blossomed Dominion status as early as possible. His aim in saying so was that a larger Empire might find a grateful India co-operating wholeheartedly in making the Empire to which they were proud to belong something even greater. A united India would be the finest jewel and strongest force in the cause of Empire. India had helped Britain during the war crisis wholeheartedly, without bargaining. It was now Britain's turn to help India to reach a position beyond which they had no desire to go, namely, that of a sister Dominion within the Empire.

Sir Muhammed Shafi said that 71,000,000 Mussulmans desired that, in the constitutional and administrative evolution of India, they must have their legitimate share, both in the Provincial and Central Government.

Federal systems would alone suit the circumstances of the case. The point of the Moslem group was they desired India to attain Dominion status as an equal partner in the [illegible]

He added that but for Lord Irwin's wisdom and sympathy, the position in India would be ten times worse.

did not desire federation if it involved the gradual disappearance of all they had stood for in the past.

Wisdom of Caution.

Lord Peel, who was Secretary for India in the late Conservative Administration, also urged the wisdom of caution, and emphasised the British contribution to the moral and political progress of India. He described the Statutory Commission's report as in many way a revolutionary document, and instanced its recommendation for the abolition of dyarchy. It gave the provincial Councils exceedingly wide powers over great populations in matters touching most closely the lives of millions. He asked if there was anything inherently unreasonable in proposing that while the provinces were adjusting themselves to new conditions and learning the arts of Government no substantial change should take place in the central Government? He affirmed his strong belief, shared by British Conservative opinion, in the importance of bringing India sooner or later into its equal part in the community of the British Commonwealth.

Case of Smaller States.

Later the Chief of Sangli called attention to the interests of the smaller States, and said that their causes would require investigation to fit them in a scheme which might enjoy all its benefits.

Immature Ideas Opposed.

Sir Hubert Carr, of the British Indian delegation, expressed the belief that a federal Government offered the best changes of successful progress to united India. They believed in the full application of the federal principle not only in bringing the States and provinces its application to other departments of Government—finance, railways, and so on—but his community was largely actuated by the anxiety that the present order should not give way to immature ideas which would lead to a breakdown.

He would like to see further consideration of the thought in Indian political opinion as to what was best at the centre before any strong move was made, for they were frankly doubtful if responsibility was possible at present.

In regard to finance, he emphasised that any Government that was going to be for the good of India must retain not only the confidence of its own nationals but also international confidence.

Absolute Freedom.

Colonel Gidney, as an Indian speaking for the British-Indian community, said that his conception of a practical measure would be to give India immediately complete provincial autonomy and, when the provinces have establish- freedom to federate with those States willing to enter into association with them, and so form a number of federating units which would

(Continued on next Column.)

Sports News

POLO NOTES.

TO-MORROW'S BIG MATCH.

(Contributed.)

To-morrow (Friday) the "Green Howards" team will meet the Hong Kong Polo Club in the finals of a series of matches which they are playing here. The "Green Howards" defeated the Hong Kong Civilians last week by one goal and on Monday they overcame the Army in Hong Kong by 4 goals to 1. To-morrow's match should prove a close and interesting one and while I am inclined to favour the chances of our visitors nevertheless, I believe they will have to work to win. The line up will be as follows:

The "Green Howards."—Back, Mr. Yeatman Biggs; No. 3, Mr. Smeeton; No. 2, Capt. Barber; No. 1, Collins; Reserve Mr. Eden.

The Hong Kong Polo Club.—Back, Capt. Carmichael; No. 3, Mr. Newbigging; No. 2, Mr. Stanton; No. 1, Col. Brownrigg; Reserve Mr. Worrall.

It will be observed that the all Polo Club team is composed of two players from the Civilian team and two from the Army team. Theoretically it should prove a stronger combination than either of these two and all the players are well-mounted.

In Captain Carmichael we have an admirable back and in Mr. Newbigging, a thoroughly reliable No. 3. These two are probably Hong Kong's leading players and so we can safely believe that our defence is well safe-guarded. Mr. Stanton as No. 2 is not quite as sure a hitter as one would like to see in that responsible position, but he has the saving grace of being well-mounted on fast ponies. As No. 1 Colonel Brownrigg is a tremendous asset to the side. He may be counted upon for fast play and hard riding. The only comment which I might make in connection with his playing in this position is that, perhaps, by putting him so far forward in the game we are wasting his talent for running through with the ball from behind.

The "Green Howards" have shown themselves to be a well co-ordinated team. In the last chukka in their match against the Army they struck their true form and showed us really brilliant team work and fine hitting. If, to-morrow, they get on to this form earlier in the game the Polo Club is going to be very hard pressed. Mr. Yeatman Biggs is an admirable back, possessed of long and back handers. Mr. Smeeton is a spectacular player quite as good or better than Hong Kong's best. It is to be hoped that to-morrow he will have sufficiently recovered from his attack of fever to do his stuff properly. Captain Barber in his play can best be characterized as "consistent" and I may say that it is consistently good as well. Mr. Collins looks after his end of the combination in a thoroughly businesslike manner.

By kind permission of Lieut.-Col. Maclaine and Officers the Band of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlangers will play and both H.E. the Governor and Lady Peel have signified their intentions of being present. Play begins at 4 p.m. and teas and refreshments are obtainable as usual.

LOCAL HOCKEY.

Y.M.C.A. TEAMS FOR SATURDAY.

The Y.M.C.A. Second XI. will play two friendly matches on Saturday afternoon—against the Hong Kong Ladies' Hockey Club and the Naval and Military Y.M.C.A. at King's Park. The teams will be:—

v. H.K.L.H.C. at 3.15 p.m.:—G. F. Rees; H. Stedman and P. J. Lydon; R. Dormer, G. Mitchell and H. W. Stonell; T. Ingram, L. Tipple, W. H. Smith, R. Bates and J. Ferguson.

v. N. and M. Y.M.C.A. at 4.30 p.m.:—G. F. Rees; H. Stedman and A. Jackson; H. P. Kaiserling, G. Mitchell and R. A. Bates; A. Tate, L. W. Macey, W. H. Smith, J. F. Parker and H. Muller.

SHANGHAI SOCCER.

FREE FIGHT BETWEEN POLICE AND CHINESE.

The game at the Shanghai Stadium last Sunday between the Chenju and Police sides was one into which rather a lot of incident was crowded, in that each side had a player ordered from the field, and, as the Police lost the services of Wilkinson after five minutes, they had but nine players for the greater portion of the game. The match was by no means a good one to watch, and, had not a really strong-minded referee had charge, the probability is that a free-fight would have resulted. As it was, Capt. Graham handled a difficult game very well indeed, although many considered he was at fault in not at once stopping the game when the incident which led to Bradley's dismissal arose.

The Police goalie had fumbled a clearance, and, before he could gather the ball, he was charged over by a Chenju attacker. The goalie promptly fell on the ball as the only means of saving his charge, and, as soon as he did so, several of the Chenju players commenced to kick wildly at both the goalkeeper and the ball, but chiefly the goalkeeper, who was badly hurt. The Police players joined in the mêlée and a serious mix-up occurred, and it was a wonder no one was seriously hurt, Hurry coming out the worst with a nasty cut over his eye.

The referee had apparently smoothed things over, when Bradley struck a Chenju player several times, and once again other players from each side were involved. The referee had no alternative but to order the goalie to leave the field.

The Chenju player was ordered off after about twenty minutes' play in the second half, the culprit being guilty of deliberately kicking Hurry on the ankle.

CRICKET.

OXFORD *v.* CAMBRIDGE.

The annual Oxford *v.* Cambridge cricket match takes places this (Thursday) afternoon, on the H.K.C.C. ground, and, as usual, the local Oxford and Cambridge Society will be "At Home" from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

"PAX" IN U.S. FOOTBALL.

NAVAL AND MILITARY SCHOOLS TO PLAY.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, November 14.—Athletic difficulties of long standing which have prevented the Naval Academy at Annapolis from playing the West Point cadets have at last been settled. This action had been rumoured for several weeks but an announcement to-day was the first definite confirmation.

The first game will be a post-season encounter, on December 13, in New York, for the benefit of the unemployed. It is believed that this means the resumption of a regular annual game here after.

MIDNIGHT BOXING IN SPAIN.

OPEN-AIR FIGHTS IN VAST ARENA.

Madrid, October 10.—A wonderful open-air boxing contest will take place on Wednesday next in the vast arena of the Plaza Monumental in Barcelona. At midnight 35,000 Spanish boxing enthusiasts will watch a programme of fights arranged by Jeff Dickson, the English manager.

The principal event of the night will be a fight between Al Brown, bantam-weight champion of the world, and a famous Spanish boxer, Joseph Girondes. The Spaniard is not only champion of his own country, but is also feather-weight champion of Europe.

On November 16 Primo Carnera, the most discussed boxer of the age, will fight against Paolino Uzcudo.

On the same night Desmodil Jeans, the English "monocled" boxer, will make his fourth appearance in the ring.

RUGBY FOOTBALL IN ENGLAND.

RETURN OF THE BRITISH TOURING TEAM.

The British team, with Mr. James Baxter, who had carried out the scarcely less arduous duties of manager, arrived back in England last month from their tour of New Zealand and Australia. They were officially welcomed at Plymouth, on the Orient liner Otranto, by Mr. W. T. Pearce, president of the Rugby Union, and others prominent in the game.

The Ruby Union have invited the 29 players who went on the tour to be the guests of honour at a dinner, which, if generally convenient, will be given in London after the international match between England and Ireland.

In New Zealand.

Both Mr. Baxter and F. G. Prentice, the captain of the side, had some interesting things to say about the conditions under which Rugby football is played in New Zealand and Australia, and also about the play and the players. Mr. Baxter stated, in reference to the controversy which had raged in New Zealand after his remarks about wing forward play, that his actual words, deliberately chosen, were these:—"A wing forward could not interfere with the fly-half unless he was offside. If he deliberately manoeuvred into an offside position to interfere with the fly-half then he was not only a cheat but a deliberate cheat."

Mr. Baxter added, "As a matter of fact, I found the majority of the authorities in New Zealand anxious for the abolition of the wing forward, and there is no question that the spectators hold the same view." He feared that there was no possibility of an arrangement between the two countries concerned for the time being. The Rugby Union, of course, would not attempt to dictate to the unions of the Dominions, who would have to put their own house in order.

A Very Happy Town.

Mr. Baxter, in further reference to the play both of the Australians and New Zealanders, said he did not think there was any marked improvement in any department of the game as compared with Colonial teams of the past, and the Australians were not the equals of the "Waratahs." On the social side they were overwhelmed with kindness. The Maoris, on one occasion, assembled the chiefs of their tribes from both islands to bid their welcome. On the whole, the tour was a pronounced success, and they returned with the happiest memories. Perfect harmony had existed among the touring party and every man had pulled his weight.

The grounds in New Zealand were magnificent, but the presence of bulli soil in Australia caused a lot of trouble. Bulli was used in the preparation of Australian cricket pitches and was found to contain poisonous matter. Nearly every man, said Mr. Baxter, suffered from rashes caused by the poisonous germs, and, of course, the extreme hardness of the Australian grounds was an additional handicap to the British teams.

England's Speedy Outsides.

F. G. Prentice said that no captain could have had a more pleasant or easier task. Every man was ready to accommodate himself to the circumstances of the moment. The New Zealand forwards were faster than the British, but behind the scrummage the situation was very different. There we held a distinct advantage in pace. He considered that Great Britain should have won three of the Tests.

In reference to the exploitation of the wing forward in New Zealand, Prentice said that the main point was that the policy of the wing forward was to interfere with the opposing fly-half, and that compelled the British team to alter entirely their normal tactics. In addition, they were for a long time disorganized behind the scrummage.

All of the players, with the exception of Ivor Jones, who looked rather finely drawn, were in good health and anxious to start play[illegible] again as soon as possible. Bassett may be kept out of the game for a few weeks by slight muscular trouble.

GOVERNORS ATTEND FIRE DRILL.

CLEVER DISPLAY BY LOCAL FIRE FIGHTERS.

COMPETITION AT POLICE HEADQUARTERS.

His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, together with H.E. Sr. Tamagnini de Souza Barbosa, Governor of Macao, were among a large gathering of spectators at Police Headquarters yesterday, when the Hong Kong Fire Brigade gave their annual drill display.

The exhibition was worth going a long way to see and the life saving demonstration given by the Chinese firemen would have done credit to any force in any country.

Among other things the firemen showed how simple a matter it is for a single fireman with a dispatch box to get a hose in play. It took the winner of the despatch box competition only 48 seconds to run out a length of fifty yards of hose, turn on the street hydrant, connect the hose and play the water on a given target!

Escape Demonstrations.

The various forms of escape from a burning building were also demonstrated. The jumping sheets were brought into play and many people jumped from quite a height into these sheets. The canvas chute showed the advantage of this means of escape from buildings such as hospitals, asylums, etc., where the inmates are either feeble or helpless. The Davy Fire Escape showed how simple this device can be if properly handled.

Firefighting with chemicals was also demonstrated. Foam extinguishers proved their efficacy in quelling a burning tray of gasoline, while other chemicals which were equally efficient were shown.

The motor pump competition was spectacular, but it was somewhat marred by the fact that one of the two pumps in the competition broke down and had to be withdrawn. The final exhibition of a "District Call" in which all available hands took part together with all the appliances was exceedingly spectacular.

The prize-winners in the competition received their prizes from H.E. the Governor at the conclusion of the exhibition.

Bellilios Medals.

Prior to the exhibition by the Fire Brigade, the I.G.P. called upon his wife to present Royal Life Saving Society Certificates to various members of the Force. The opportunity was also taken to present Bellilios Medals to those who earned them during the year. The list of awards is as follows:—

Chan Tai (Bronze Medal and $20), owner of Junk No. T.9629H, awarded the Bronze Medal and the sum of $20 for rescuing the crew of Jung No. T.6531H which overturned when at anchor in Belcher's Bay. S.L. Sun Tai responsible for the overturning.

Leung Wing (Bronze Medal and $5), seaman on board the ferry launch Man Chi, awarded the Bronze Medal and the sum of $5 for rescuing from drowning a man who had jumped overboard in an attempt to commit suicide.

Tam Shing (Bronze Medal and $10), seaman on board the ferry launch Man Sang awarded the Bronze Medal and the sum of $10 for rescuing a Chinese woman who had jumped overboard in an attempt to commit suicide. Tam Shing is an elderly man and the rescue was entirely due to his efforts.

Leung In (Bronze Medal and $5), seaman on board the ferry launch Man Shun awarded the Bronze Medal and the sum of $5 for rescuing a Chinese male who had jumped overboard in an attempt to commit suicide.

Life Saving.

The following were awarded the Royal Life Saving Society's Certificates and Bronze Medallions:—

Instructor's Certificate.—A.P.S. Fell, A.P.S. Boffin, L.S. Howarth, Corpl. Ali Mohamed.

Certificates and Bronze Medallions.—Inspector Stimson, L.S. Clark, L.S. Harris, L.S. Gibbling, L.S. Wood, L.S. Mattinson, P.C. Alli Mohamed, P.C. Jager Khan, P.C. Abdull Majid, P.C. Abdull Guni, P.C. Khushi Mohamed, P.C. Gul Mawaj, P.C. Rattan Singh, P.C. Hazura Singh, P.C. Chan Wing, P.C. Lo Shing, P.C. Leung Sing, P.C. Sher Zaman, P.C. Sirdar Khan, P.C. Fazal Mohamed, P.C. Mohamed Ramzan, P.C. A. Hamid, P.C. A. W. Mooney.

LOCAL TENNIS.

LADIES' OPEN DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP.

The first round of the above tournament was brought to a close (according to schedule) at the United Services Recreation Club's courts yesterday when Mrs. Keary and Mrs. Taylor met and defeated Miss Runjahn and Mrs. Bradbury by straight sets, the scores being 6-3, 6-0.

The competition is running along very smoothly, and competitors are reminded that the second round ties must be completed on or before November 29.

LOCAL RUGGER.

TAMAR BEAT CLUB IN CLOSE GAME.

H.M.S. Tamar met the Hong Kong Football Club "A" XV. in a friendly game at Happy Valley last evening and at the end of a fast and scrappy game, the sailors emerged winners by three points to *nil*.

PING PONG LEAGUE.

MEN'S SINGLES SEMI-FINALS.

Local Ping Pong enthusiasts will now have the opportunity of witnessing some really fine displays at the Kowloon branch of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. this week when the four successful contestants in the semi-final stage, out of a total of 44 entries, will meet all-round.

A full schedule of the matches to be played is given below:—

November 20.—Lai Yiu Cheuk *v.* Lai Pui Lum and Leung Lin Chuen *v.* Mok Hing Woon.

November 24.—Lai Yiu Cheuk *v.* Leung Lin Chuen and Mok Hing Woon *v.* Lai Pi Lum.

November 27.—Lai Yiu Cheuk *v.* Mok Hing Woon and Lai Pui Lum *v.* Leung Lin Chuen.

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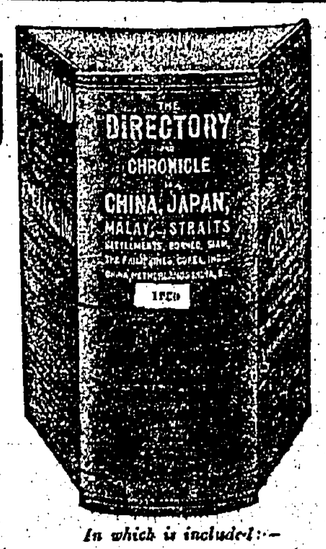

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ALL Members are cordially invited to attend and participate in any discussion which may ensue.

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Hong Kong, 14th Nov., 1930. [10119

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

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EASTERN NEWS IN BRIEF

PARS FROM EVERYWHERE.

It was announced at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs that the National Government has accorded recognition to the new Brazilian Government.

Apropos of the proposed changes in the personnel of the National Government which forms one of the outstanding issues to be discussed between Marshal Chiang Kai Shek and Marshal Chang Hsueh Liang, the Chinese Press says that, according to a reliable information, General Chang Chun, Mayor of Greater Shanghai, has been recommended for the post of Minister of War and that two Mukden nominees will be appointed to the portfolios of Minister of Interior and Director of the National Government's Army Supplies Department. The two Mukden nominees accompanied Marshal Chang from Tientsin to the south, but their names have not yet been announced, says the Chinese Press.

GOSPEL CRUSADE FOR LONDON.

1,000 MEETINGS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

An intense evangelical crusade among the young people of London such as has not been seen since the days of Sankey and Moody is to be conducted from a score of centres during the six months, beginning on October 25.

The organisers have been planning and perfecting the campaign for more than three years, and they have secured the support of the leaders of all religious denominations.

The services of such eminent evangelists as Gipsy Smith, the Rev. Lionel B. Fletcher, and the brothers Arthur and Fred Wood have been engaged.

Missions lasting from ten to fifteen days will be conducted at each of the selected centres, and it is expected that in six months between 600 and 1,000 meetings will be held.

Thousands of young people have offered their services to the campaign, and local committees of church people have been formed to arrange missions at the following centres: Bromley, Hampstead, Lewisham, Walthamstow, Croydon, Holloway, Newington, Wandsworth, Hackney, Marylebone, Willesden, Edmonton, Enfield, Islington, Shepherd's Bush, Woolwich, Fulham, Kilburn, and Tooting.

RETROCESSION OF SHAMEEN.

INTERVIEW WITH CHINESE OFFICIAL.

IMPORTANT ISSUES DISCUSSED.

Thus, the *Canton Gazette*:—

Interviewed by the press, Mr. Tao Li Kiam, Chief Inspector of Foreign Affairs for the five provinces in the south, namely Chekiang, Kwangtung, Fukien, Kweichow and Kwangsi, made the following statements relative to the foreign affairs connected with the Swatow tragedy, the retrocession of the Shameen foreign concession in Canton and other important issues that are now remaining in abeyance:—

The Swatow Tragedy.

Questioned as to what measure the Chinese authorities have taken in dealing with the murder case of Chinese subject by a French chief officer in Swatow, and what are the latest developments, the chief inspector said that although the tragedy has been brought to the attention of the authorities and ample time spent on the investigation, the case is still unsettled, while no satisfactory reports have yet been received by his office anent the grave matter. Replying to the question as to what results will attend the tragedy, the foreign affairs inspector said, that compensation will be given to the family of the victim while the murderer will be brought to justice. However Inspector Tao remained obscure as to the amount of the compensation that will be paid by the French murderer to the deceased families, although mention was made that international usage will be adopted in the payment of such compensation which provides that that victims under 65 years old are entitled to compensation for their families and dependants.

Asked as to how the murderer will be dealt with, Inspector Tao pointed out that in view of the fact that extraterritoriality is still being held by the French, the case will be dealt with according to the laws of the French, hence it is premature to make any mention as to what course French justice will take, whether the culprit will be sentenced to death or some lighter punishment cannot be told now.

Retrocession of Shameen.

Talking on the retrocession of Shameen, the inspector of foreign affairs explained that this is not so complicated an affair as it looks, and that he has had a talk with the British Consul on the matter who had been favourable to the idea throughout. The procedure to be adopted in the retrocession will be in line with those adopted by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in similar cases, namely that the special commission in charge of retrocession of all foreign concessions and settlements throughout the country appointed by the Ministry will also take charge of the retrocession of Shameen.

Asked as to whether compensations will be paid as condition to the retrocession, Inspector Tao explained that public utilities will be taken over without compensation; on the other hand, individual and private properties in the concession will be redeemed.

Lungchow French Consulate.

After making the above statements, the inspector gave the information that he will be proceeding to Wuchow shortly and that were it not for the internecine warfare in Kwangsi he would have left for that province earlier. His trip to Kwangsi, continued the inspector, has to do with the investigation of the Lungchow French Consulate case which was burnt down during the Communist regime. The inspector will leave for Wuchow shortly.

THE TUNG WAH HOSPITAL.

CONCERT IN AID OF FUNDS.

A concert is to be held at the Theatre Royal on Wednesday, the 26th inst., at 8.15 p.m. under the distinguished patronage of H.E. the Governor and Lady Peel, in aid of the funds of the Tung Wah Eastern Hospital. The programme is arranged by Mr. F. Mason, A.R.C.O., L.T.C.L., and those who attend the concert may be assured of an interesting and enjoyable evening.

Soloists taking part are as follows:—Mrs. R. H. Gregory, dramatic soprano, who has recorded for the Columbia Co.; Mrs. Snowden Jones, soprano, who possesses a most charming voice and Mrs. F. T. Portallion, who has a delightful contralto.

The string orchestra of the Hong Kong Orchestral Society will contribute three numbers (some of the items are by requests), under the capital direction of Mr. F. Mason.

Those wishing to attend the concert are advised to book their seats at Messrs. Anderson's Music Store as early as possible.

NANKING VICTORY CELEBRATED.

GENERAL AND MRS. CHIANG ENTERTAIN.

A big reception was given by General and Mrs. Chiang Kai Shek in the Moral Endeavour Society, Nanking, last Friday evening to celebrate the victory of the Government forces over the northern rebels. The celebrations will last until to-day to enable members of the Peiping Diplomatic Corps to take part, if possible.

At Friday evening's reception, the guests included all members of the Central Executive Committee of the Kuomintang, the presidents of the five Yuan, the Cabinet Ministers, the chairman of various committees, military officers holding rank superior to that of divisional commander, and all foreign diplomatic representatives in Nanking. Among the latter were Mr. M. Shigemitsu, the acting Japanese Minister; the Norwegian Minister; Fuad Bey, the Turkish Chargé d'Affaires; M. Barthel de Weydenthal, the Polish Minister; Mr. K. G. Wahamaki, Finnish Chargé d'Affaires; and the commanders of the various foreign men-of-war stationed in Nanking.

Marshal Chang Present.

The foreign guests were accompanied by Dr. C. T. Wang, the Foreign Minister, and Mrs. Wang, and introduced to General and Mrs. Chiang Kai Shek upon the latter's arrival. Marshal Chang Hsueh Liang and various members of his staff were also present.

General Chiang delivered an address, after which Mr. Shigemitsu replied in suitable terms on behalf of the foreign guests. Then all adjourned to the assembly hall where a very interesting entertainment programme was presented. The first item was ancient Chinese music played by members of the Tatung Musical Club of Shanghai, followed by a drama by Mr. Cheng Yen Chiu, the famous actor. A number of Chinese amateur actors also gave performances which were much enjoyed.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

The following merchant ships were in harbour yesterday:—

Wharves:—Kowloon: Wakasa Maru, Honolulu Maru, Albion Star, Kitano Maru, Empress of Japan, Asama Maru; Holt's: Lancashire; Jardine Matheson's: Chak Sang; O.S.K.: Deli Maru, Canton Maru.

Docks:—Kowloon: Kwong Sang, Kurimarau, Sui An, Kwong Sai, Feng Lee; Taikoo: Yuet On, Charles Hardouin, Paul Beau, Augustina, Protesilaus, Sai On, Kwangchow, On Lee.

Buoys:—A2 Tantulus, A3 Van Heutsz, A4 Tokushima Maru, A5 Hokuyo Maru, A6 Tjikampek, B7 Coracovin, A8 Tinhow, B9 Hong Hwa, A10 Tjikembang, B12 Taiyuan, B13 Soochow, C14 Luchow, B15 Kalgan, C16 Tai Lee, B17 New Mathilde, B19 Kojun Maru, A24 Tjipanas, A25 Taiping, A28 Telemachus, B32 Waishing, B34 Kingyuan, C39 Kaitangata, C42 Hellas, C46 Yei Maru, C49 Kinzan Maru.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following warships were in port yesterday:—

Basin.—Tamar.
South Wall.—Sirdar.
North Arm.—H.M.T. Lancashire.
West Wall.—Berwick.
Dock.—Bruce, Petersfield, Osiris.
Tajkoo Dock.—Kent.
No. 2 Buoy.—Medway and submarines.
No. 8 Buoy.—Thracian, Scrapis.
No. 10 Buoy.—Seraph.
No. 12 Buoy.—Stormcloud.
No. 13 Buoy.—Marazion.
Foreign Men-of-War:—French gunboat Argus.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Karmala left Shanghai for this port on the 18th inst. at 3.30 p.m. and is due here on the 21st inst. at about 6 a.m.

The P. & O. s.s. Kalyan left Singapore for this port on the 13th inst. and is due here on the 21st inst. at about 9.30 a.m. English mails, and is due here on the 21st inst. at about 9.30 a.m.

PASSENGERS.

Arrivals.

The following cabin passengers arrived yesterday by the R.M.S. Empress of Japan from Vancouver and ports:—Mr. E. Alton, Mr. W. N. Bell, Mrs. D. Bell, Miss H. J. Calkin, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. F. Bellamy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. L. Dunbar, Mr. J. M. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Humphreys, Mr. L. H. Lodger, Mr. Messersmith, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pryce, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rouse, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. L. Leeston-Smith, Miss Leeston-Smith, Mr. A. H. Tomlinson, Mr. J. A. Walker, Miss M. A. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Workman, Master R. Workman, Mr. W. H. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pullen, Mr. J. E. Burleigh, Mr. J. O. Cameron, Mr. M. D. Hamilton, Mr. H. J. Oldaker, Mr. M. Steinkopf, Mr. S. A. and Mrs. Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bothelho, Mrs. S. W. Broadhead, Miss M. A. Broadhead, Mr. K. W. Broadhead, Mr. M. A. Brostedt, Mr. H. P. Chai, Mr. Chan Chui Ping, Mr. D. K. Chao, Mr. C. C. Chen, Mr. Cheung K. Kwong, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Chockson, Mrs. W. W. Cole, Miss N. M. Craig, Mrs. Cushman, Miss Scott, Mr. R. T. Dwon, Mr. P. Dupuy, Mrs. K. M. Elzear, Madam Fung Pen, Mr. and Mrs. K. Y. Fung, Mrs. S. and Miss Fung, Mr. F. S. Gibbings, Mr. C. P. Grandgerard, Dr. S. Grubbs, Mrs. C. M. Hall, Mr. T. C. Hards, Mr. and Mrs. B. Harman, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Haslam, Mr. K. C. Huang, Mrs. M. Jordon, Miss J. Jordon, Messrs. J. E. and F. A. Joseph, Miss M. J. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. K. Lai, Mr. H. P. Lai, Capt. A. Laithwaite, Mr. B. P. Lalcaca, Mr. Y. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. K. Lee, Messrs. S. N., C. H. and T. S. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Leong Hung Fan, Mrs. Leong Ho Shi, Misses Leong (two), Mr. W. B. Lewis, Mrs. B. L. Lewis, Mr. C. H. Liang, Mr. C. C. Loh, Mr. R. E. Lunkley, Mr. Ma Wing Chung, Miss I. Milne, Mr. G. C. Moxon, Mr. W. C. Ouyang, Mr. H. Ouyang, Mr. H. C. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. K. Ryan, Mr. Sang Ho Y., Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Santos, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Stanley, Mr. M. Stanley, Mrs. O. Stellingwerff, Miss P. Stellingwerff, Master P. Stellingwerff, Miss M. Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. L. Straetmans, Mr. C. H. Sum, Mrs. J. Swift, Mr. T. S. M. Terrace, Mr. M. M. Ting, Mr. T. Y. Tsang, Mrs. A. V. White, Mr. J. Wilson, Mr. Pam S. Waui, Mr. R. S. Welsch, Mr. N. Braga, Mr. E. H. Powell, Mr. D. Lieu, Miss Moy How Zing, Miss E. C. Reid, Mrs. C. F. Ruoff, Rev. J. Weitz, Rev. A. Lesage, Mr. and Mrs. Wong Shuk Yen, Mr. C. B. Chang, Mr. N. Mackawa, Mr. T. Tujimoto, Mr. J. A. Alderzen, Mr. J. Canning, Mr. Y. K. Chang, Miss S. N. Chen, Mr. F. W. Cheng, Mr. J. S. Chu, Mrs. J. A. De Carvalho, Mr. J. De Silva, Mrs. S. F. Dung, Masters F. S. and S. S. Dung, Miss R. Ellis, Mr. E. Fong, Mrs. Ip Ngau Yu, Mr. Ip Yik Chow, Mr. Ip Ching Yu, Mr. R. Krishin, Mr. and Mrs. Kwa Sug Lee, Mr. T. L. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Y. N. Chu, Miss C. Chu, Mrs. Li, Mrs. and Miss Chan, Mr. Lieu Tze Ying, Mr. H. S. Ma, Mrs. Y. Nishino and child, Mr. F. Psuy, Mr. J. R. Scherer, Mr. N. H. Slinger, Miss K. G. Shum, Mr. J. H. Tam, Mr. and Mrs. Y. Y. Tam, Misses W. F. and W. Woo, Mr. Yang Tse Tien, Mr. T. W. Yue, and Miss Y. Y. Young. Through passengers: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Anderson, Miss H. Rhodes, Miss E. H. Armstrong, Mr. A. L. Bernheimer, Mr. H. B. Brooks, Mr. P. Burgess, Mrs. E. F. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. S. Feldstein, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hires, Jr., Miss S. Johnston, Dr. and Mrs. W. V. King, Mr. A. Melian, Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Dea, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Orth, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rockwell, Master J. C. Rockwell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross, Mr. V. A. Rufino, Mr. M. Heras, Mr. F. Soriano, Mrs. R. Soriano, Miss E. Soriano, Mrs. J. Jalandoni, Miss C. Montinold, Miss B. Mirasol, Mr. P. Sukhum, Mr. John Williamson, Mr. A. H. Hoven, Mr. G. Hayes, Mrs. E. A. Hosford, Mr. H. Hudson, Mr. R. W. Kett, Miss P. Torrente, Miss C. Davis, Mrs. M. Murray, Mr. E. Evensen, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gibb, Mr. R. P. Green, Mr. G. J. Montinola, Dr. T. Montinola, Mrs. C. Montinola, Mr. C. Mr. and Mrs. F. Rice, Mr. E. C. Richards, Mrs. E. T. Seton, Mr. A. J. Theisen, Rev. M. Batelho, Rev. E. C. Edwards, Rev. E. Stoll, Mr. J. R. Eyre, Mr. and Mrs. D. Gomez, Master D. Gomez, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. McKinley, Miss E. McKinley, Mr. R. S. Oglesby, Mrs. R. Rosenbaum, Mr. R. and Miss Herren, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Martin, Lieut. and Mrs. N. McCurdy, Mr. T. Fujimoto, Mrs. F. S. Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Brown, Mrs. A. E. Burnap, Capt. and Mrs. E. G. Cowen, Mr. I. H. Evans, Mrs. V. F. Gordinier, Mrs. M. K. Holmes, Mrs. M. T. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jacinto, Mrs. J. S. Lowell, Mr. G. E. Lubchancco, Capt. and Mrs. J. R. Mattock, Miss Rudolf, Mrs. R. J. Vasey and child, and Mr. Wong Yao Ting.

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Money and Markets

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

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[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, November 14.—Sharp bidding for copper metal sent the price up to 12 cents which helped copper shares on the New York Stock Exchange to-day, says the daily review of the Dow Jones Financial News Agency.

Copper accordingly rose sharply, which helped to restore confidence to the market in general. Anaconda Copper jumped 3½ to close at 41⅞; Calumet & Hecla was up 3½ to 123; American Smelting was up 3¼ to 56⅜; Nevada Consolidated was up a point to 13; and Kennecott rose 1⅛ to 32.

Rising Trend at Close.

The entire list showed a rising trend at the close, with the Dow Jones average for 30 industrials up 3.65 to 184.03, that for 20 rails up 1.37 to 107.80, and that for 20 utilities up 1.64 to 65.75.

U.S. Steel closed up 1⅛ to 146¾, with Bethlehem up 1½ to 65½. American Car was up 1⅜ to 116⅜. Eastman Kodak was up 3½ to 169½. Westinghouse E. & M. was up 2⅜ to 102⅜, with General Electric up 1⅛ to 50⅛. American Waterworks was up 1⅛ to 66⅞. Du Pont was up 2⅜ to 92⅜.

The Business Position.

The weekly business reviews reported industry fair to quiet.

Among the utilities, American Tel. & Tel. rose 2⅜ to 190½, with International Tel. & el. up 1⅜ to 28⅞. Radio Corp. was up 1⅛. Standard Gas rose 2¼ to 70⅜; Columbia Gas was up two points to 40; and Consolidated Gas was up 2½ to 92½.

New York Central was up 2½ to 136; Pennsylvania was up half a point to 136; Union Pacific was up 4½ to 189; and Canadian Pacific rose 1½ to 44.

Sales for the day totalled 2,640,690 shares, with call money still at 2 per cent.

NEW £1,000,000 BUSINESS.

FIRST EMPIRE FREE TRADE FACTORY.

America is getting ready for British Empire Free Trade!

The first "Empire Free Trade" factory to be set up will open its doors on December 1. It has cost £40,000 of American money to equip, and it is estimated that by the end of the spring at least £1,000,000 will be invested in the enterprise, which will provide work for hundreds of British workmen.

Everything will be British—machinery, materials, and staff. There will be only one American employed, and he will act as the firm's liaison officer between Great Britain and the United States.

The Brunswick Radio Corporation of America, at the back of which is the vast and wealthy Warner Brothers Picture Syndicate, is the great business group that has planned America's first "Empire Free Trade" workshop to be erected in England. This powerful combine of American business interests has a capital of many millions.

The site of the factory is in Woodstock-road, Shepherd's Bush, W. The decision to open it in readiness for the advent of Empire Free Trade was reached at a dramatic conference of the chiefs of the Brunswick Radio Corporation in New York. Mr. E. C. de Villaverade, the manager of the foreign division, reported that in his opinion Empire Free Trade was certain to become a fact before long. Mr. de Villaverde based his verdict on secret reports sent to the United States by political observers.

A few hours later Mr. de Villaverde was on his way across the Atlantic with a credit note for £50,000, and authority to open a factory to manufacture Brunswick records at the earliest possible moment.

The factory will manufacture 6,000,000 records a year.

Mr. de Villaverde, who is now in London, said to a *Daily Express* representative yesterday: "I have banked upon Empire Free Trade within the next six months. All the indications point to its coming very soon now.

"There is nothing patriotic about this thing—it is business. We are convinced Empire Free Trade is coming."—*Daily Express.*

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

KANGTAI WRECK BUOY TO BE DISESTABLISHED.

Referring to Notices to Mariners Nos. 945 and 981, notice is given that the wreck of the s.s. Kangtai, in the vicinity of Wusueh, has been removed, and that the buoy marking the wreck will be disestablished on about November 23 without further notice.

WORLDWIDE SUGAR STABILISATION PLAN.

CONFERENCE OF EUROPEAN PRODUCERS.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

New York, Nov. 19.

Mr. Chadbourne, the author of the plan to stabilise the Cuban sugar industry, sails on the 20th inst. to attend a conference of European sugar producers in an attempt to work out a worldwide stabilization plan.

COTTON RESTRICTION IN EGYPT.

SAKELLARIDES LIMITED TO 40 PER CENT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Cairo, Nov. 18.

The Government has decided to restrict the cultivation of Sakellarides to 40 per cent. of the total cotton area for the next three years.

FRENCH BANK FAILURE.

CREDITORS ASSURED REPAYMENT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Paris, Nov. 19.

The Banque Georges Devichet at Montpelier has failed.

The liabilities are Frs. 300,000.

The friends of M. Devichet have assured the creditors of repayment.

REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA'S OFFICIAL BANK.

SPONSORED BY AMERICAN COMPANY.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

Akron (Ohio), Nov. 18.

The Firestone Tyre and Rubber Company announces that the first American bank in Liberia is to be established at Monrovia.

The new institution, which the President of Liberia has designated as the Republic's official bank, will be part of the United States Trading Company, a subsidiary of the Firestone Company, which owns a million acres of land in Liberia for rubber development.

U.S. IMPORT RULES REVISED.

QUESTION OF CONVICT PRODUCED GOODS.

[UNITED PRESS.]

Washington, Nov. 14.—Officials of the U.S. Bureau of Customs are rewriting the import regulations in such fashion that the burden of proof will be shifted upon importers so that the importers must prove that imported products were not made by convict labour, it was revealed to-day.

This would enable the imposition of general embargos, though definite proof of a convict labour origin were lacking.

The action grows out of the recent effort to bar pulpwood from Soviet Russia out of the United States. In that case, shipments were held up and a great deal of difficulty was caused but finally it was proved that convict labour had not been employed in production.

Various other Russian products have come under suspicion in this connection, it was understood. The law gives customs authorities the right to prevent productions of convict labour from entering the country in competition with American free labour.

EXCHANGE RATES.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, November 18.

Paris	123.665
New York	4.85 19/32
Brussels	34.83½
Genova	25.04½
Amsterdam	12.06⅜
Milan	92.75½
Berlin	20.38
Stockholm	18.09½
Copenhagen	18.10
Oslo	18.15½
Vienna	34.48½
Prague	163¼
Helsingfors	193
Madrid	43.80
Lisbon	108.25
Athens	375
Bucharest	818
Rio	4⅛
Buenos Aires	38 11/16
Montevideo	39½
Bombay	1/5⅜
Shanghai	1/7⅛
Hong Kong	1/3⅜
Yokohama	2/0 15/32
Silver:	
Spot	16 9/16
Forward	16½

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

ECONOMICS SUBORDINATED TO POLITICS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

London, Nov. 18.

The executive committee of the National Council of Industry and Commerce, of which Sir William Morris is Chairman, have issued a statement declaring that they are dismayed at the failure of the economic side of the Imperial Conference, and declaring that failure was inevitable because the Government had subordinated economics to politics, actually ruling out in advance certain lines of fiscal discussions.

The Committee says that the Government are entirely ignoring outstanding problems of unemployment and trade recovery.

The statement urges the Government to deal with questions of unemployment and taxation immediately on a strictly non-party basis, leaving Parliament as representing the people to express its views, independent of party.

The statement further urges the British people at once to force their views on sitting Members and demand that the Government and Parliament definitely put aside all thought of office or party and act.

INTERNATIONAL COAL AGREEMENT.

ANGLO-GERMAN MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, Nov. 19.

The Secretary for Mines, Mr. Shinwell, in his attempt to secure international agreements in the coal industry both in protection and marketing and on miners' hours, yesterday met Herr Stegerwald, the German Minister of Labour. The discussion concerned questions likely to arise at Geneva in June of next year when the International Labour Conference again considers the formulation of an International Convention on underground hours of coal miners.

The two Ministers were able to reach an understanding on each of the above points of view.

There were also informal discussions on the economic aspects of international coal questions.

Herr Stegerwald agreed to convey Mr. Shinwell's suggestions to the German Government.

MURDER OF AFGHAN CONSUL.

CRIME IN SOVIET TERRITORY

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Moscow, Nov. 19.

It is officially reported that the Afghan Consul at Tashkent, Sheidmir Khassim Khan, has been robbed and killed in Soviet territory while returning from Persia to Askabad.

His assassin was arrested.

The Soviet has conveyed its condolence to the Afghan Ambassador.

"CUT" IN ITALIAN GOVERNMENT SALARIES.

TACKLING BUDGET DEFICIT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Rome, Nov. 18.

Faced with a budgetary deficit of 729 million lire during the first four months of the financial year, the Government has decided to reduce the salaries of all State employees from 12 to 35 per cent. according to grade.

EXCHANGE.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

November 19, 1930.

On London:—	
Telegraphic Transfer	1/3 5/16
Bank Bills, on demand	1/3 5/16
Bank Bills, 4 months' sight	1/3 7/16
Credits, 4 months' sight	1/4
Documents, 4 months' sight	1/4⅛
On Paris:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	790
Credits, 4 months' sight	830
On New York:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	31
Credits, 60 days' sight	32⅛
On Bombay:—	
Telegraphic Transfer	86⅛
Bank, on demand	
On Calcutta:—	
Telegraphic Transfer	86⅛
Bank, on demand	
On Shanghai:—	Tls. 30⅛
Bank, at sight	$97⅞ dis.
On Yokohama:—	
On demand	62⅛
On Manila.—On demand	62⅛
On Singapore:—	
On demand	55⅛
On Batavia:—On demand	77⅛
On Haiphong:—	
On demand	79⅛
On Saigon:—On demand	
On Bangkok:—	
On demand	74⅞
Telegraphic Transfer	1/3 15/16
Bar Silver, per oz.	16 9/16

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

Hong Kong Stock Exchange. Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	Wednesday, Nov. 19.	Sharebrokers' Association. Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
				Banks				
$1,660	...	...	...	H.K. Banks	$1,660	...	...	...
...	...	...	£115	Do. (London)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	£19	Chartered Banks	...	...	...	£18½
...	...	...	£27½	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£28
...	...	...	£12½	Do. "C"	...	...	...	£12½
$114	...	...	...	Bank of East Asia	$115	...	...	...
				Insurances				
$1,115	...	...	...	Canton Insurances	$1,120	...	...	...
$3.50	$3	$2.90	...	Underwriters	$3.80	$3	$2.90	...
1.160	...	...	...	North Chinas	...	...	...	T160
$490	...	$490	...	Union Insurances	$483	...	$484/5	...
...	...	...	M.$50	Yangtsze Insurance	...	...	...	$60
$400	...	...	...	China Fires	$400	...	...	...
$1,115	...	...	...	H.K. Fires	$1,110	...	...	...
				Shipping				
...	$27	...	...	Douglases	...	...	...	$26
$29½	...	...	...	Steamboats	$30	...	...	...
...	...	...	$40	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	$43
...	...	...	$30	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	$26
..	..	...	76/-	Shell Transports	...	...	...	83/9
...	...	...	$34	Water-boats	...	...	...	$34½
				Mining				
...	...	...	$6.70	Benquets	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	35/-	Kailans	...	...	...	37/-
...	...	...	...	Langkats (comb.)	...	...	...	T14.40
...	...	...	T.8½	Do. (single)	...	...	...	$7.40
T.1	...	...	...	Explorations	...	...	...	T.1
T.6½	...	...	...	Shanghai Loans	...	...	...	T.6
$27½	...	...	...	Raubs	$26½	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Tronoh Mines	...	...	...	14/-
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
$173½	...	$173½	4½	H.K. & K. Wharfs	...	...	...	$174½
$5.45	$5½	$5½	...	Providents (old)	$5.40	$5.50	$5.30	...
$2.65	...	...	...	Do. (new)	$2.60	...	...	...
...	...	...	$32	H.K. Docks	$31	...	...	T.123
...	...	...	T.117½	Shanghai Docks	...	...	...	T.7½
...	...	...	T7.10	New Engineerings	...	...	...	...
T.261	...	...	...	Hongkews	...	...	...	...
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
$11½	$11.70	...	...	H.K. & S. Hotels	$11.50	$11.65	...	...
$82½	$83	$82½/3	...	H.K. Lands (old)	$82½	...	82½/3½	...
...	...	...	$82	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$82
$193	...	$193½	20.10	Do. (rights)	...	...	...	...
T.321	...	...	...	Shanghai Lands	...	...	...	...
...	$9.60	$9½	...	H.K. Realtys	...	...	$9.50	...
$16.20	...	...	...	Humphreys	$16.20	...	...	...
...	...	...	$87	Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
				Cotton Mills				
T12.10	T12.20	...	...	Ewos	T.12	...	...	...
T.83½	...	...	...	Shai. Cottons	...	...	...	T.82
...	...	...	T.9½	Zoong Sings	...	...	...	T.9½
				Public Utilities				
$18	$18.15	...	...	Tramways	$18	...	...	...
...	...	...	$14	Peak Trams (old)	...	...	...	$14
...	...	...	$6½	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$7
$88½	$89	...	...	Star Ferries	$88½	$90	...	...
...	$27	...	...	C. Lights (old)	$26.40	$27	$27	...
$26.4)	...	...	...	Do. (new)	$26.40	...	...	...
$51½	...	...	...	H.K. Electrics	$51¼	$52	...	...
...	...	...	$23	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
$11½	...	...	...	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
$35½	...	...	...	Telephones (fully pd.)	...	...	...	...
$22.65	...	...	...	Do. (part pd.)	$22½	$23	...	...
...	...	...	T.18	China Buses	...	...	...	...
...	7/6	...	...	Tractions	...	...	...	7/-
...	...	...	19/-	Do. (prof.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
			T.10⅜	Caldbeck (ord.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	T10.40	Macgregors (prof.)	...	...	...	...
$23	...	...	...	Canton Ices	$3.60	...	...	...
$18½	$18.55	...	...	Cements (comb.)	$18.10	$18.30	18.40/.45	...
$12½	...	...	...	Do (old)	...	...	...	$13
...	$5.20	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$4½
$10.80	...	...	...	Ropes	$10.80	...	...	...
$0.70	...	...	...	China Sugars	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$27	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	$29
...	...	...	$5	United Asbestos	...	...	...	...
				Miscellaneous				
$27.10	$27.40	...	...	Dairy Farms, cum. r.	...	$27½	...	...
$24.80	...	...	...	Do., ex rights	...	...	...	...
$9½	...	...	...	Do., rights	$8½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$1	Der A. Wings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$23	Amusements	...	...	...	$22
$10½	...	...	...	Chin. Entertainm'ts.	$11	...	...	...
$3.90	...	...	...	Constructions	$4	...	...	...
...	$3.70	...	...	Lane Crawfords	$3.40	...	...	...
$10	...	...	...	Mackintoshs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	$3½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$11.60	Sinceres	$11.80	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Watsons	...	...	...	$12
$12½	...	...	...	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	$2½
...	...	...	$2.85	B. Ind. G.$ Bonds	...	...	...	65%
65½%	...	...	...	H.K. Govt Loans	$104½	...	...	...
5½%	prem.	...	...					

LOCAL AND REGULAR OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Week Days. From G.P.O.	Week Days. From Sheungwan Branch P.O.	Sundays & Holidays From G.P.O.	Sundays & Holidays From Sheungwa Branch P.O.
Canton	7.15 a.m. & 6.00 p.m.	7.30 a.m. & 7.00 p.m.	7.15 a.m. & 5.00 p.m. Sundays 5 p.m. only	7.30 a.m. & 7.00 p.m. Sundays 7.00 p.m. only
Macao & Taishan	7.15 a.m. & 1.15 p.m.	7.30 a.m. & 1.30 p.m.	7.15 a.m. & 1.15 p.m. Sundays 8.15 a.m. only	7.30 a.m. & 1.30 p.m. Sundays 8.30 a.m. only
Kongmoon (except Saturdays)	5.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	5.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Kaukong (except Saturdays)		6.00 p.m.		6.00 p.m.
Fatshan (By Train)	7.15 a.m.		7.15 a.m.	
Tai O	9.00 a.m.*		9.00 a.m.	
Tai Po	9.00 a.m. & 3.00 p.m.		9.00 a.m.	
Shumchun	9.00 a.m. & 3.00 p.m.		11.0 a.m.	
Chaungchow	12.30 p.m. & 4.30 p.m. Saturdays 1.00 p.m. & 4.30 p.m.		11.00 a.m. & 4.30 p.m.	
Aberdeen	8.30 a.m.		8.30 a.m.	
Stanley	1.00 p.m.		1.00 p.m.	
Autau—Pingshan, Santin, Chiutsuipaitsuk and Shaoshuhui	3.00 p.m.		10.30 a.m.	
Saikung	4.00 p.m.			
Namtan, Shekki & Taiping (Fumtin)		7.00 p.m.		7.00 p.m.

FOREIGN MAILS

NEW YEAR PARCEL MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN.

The New Year Parcel Mail for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office at 5 p.m on the 21st November per s.s. *Karmala.*
This mail is due in London on the 27th December.

CHRISTMAS LETTER MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN VIA MARSEILLES.

The Christmas Letter Mail for Great Britain via Marseilles will be closed in the General Post Office on the 22nd November per s.s. *Karmala* as follows:—
Registered Mail.....9.45 a.m., 22nd November
Ordinary Mail.....10.30 a.m., 22nd November.
This mail is due in London on the 23nd December.

The public are reminded that dutiable articles sent by letter post to the United Kingdom are liable to confiscation by the Customs there.

Christmas cards bearing not more than five written words may be forwarded as Printed Papers provided that the enclosing cover is left open

RADIO NOTICE.

Individuals and firms are recommended to register their telegraphic address at the Radio Office. No charge is made for this.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Sourabaya	*Bantam*	20th Nov.
Java and Manila	*Tjimanuck*	20th Nov.
Straits	*Jeypore*	21st Nov.
Europe via Suez (Letters and papers, London, 23rd Oct, and parcels, 15th October)	*Kaiyan*	21st Nov.
Japan and Shanghai	*Karmala*	21st Nov.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 1st November)	*Pres. Taft*	21st Nov.
Samarinda	*Sipora*	21st Nov.
Shanghai and Swatow	*Sunning*	22nd Nov.
Calcutta and Straits	*Sui Sang*	23rd Nov.
Shanghai and Amoy	*Tjisondari*	23rd Nov.
Manila	*Empress of Japan*	24th Nov.
Saigon	*Angers*	25th Nov.
Japan and Shanghai	*Athos II*	25th Nov.
Shanghai	*Hector*	25th Nov.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 30th October)	*Taiyo Maru*	26th Nov.
Japan and Shanghai	*Hakozaki Maru*	28th Nov.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 31st October)	*Pres. Garfield*	29th Nov.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 7th November)	*Pres. McKinley*	1st Dec.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver, B.C., 13th November)	*Empress of Asia*	1st Dec.
Australia and Manila	*St. Albans*	7th Dec.

OUTWARD MAILS.

REGISTERED and PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m on the previous day.

For	Per	Date and Time
		Thursday, 20th,
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, Central and South America and *Europe via San Francisco — due San Francisco, 11th Dec., and *Europe via Siberia	*Asama Maru*	8.30 a.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	*Doli Maru*	8.30 a.m.
Manila, *Australia, and *New Zealand via Thursday Island — due Thursday Island, 3rd December	*Kitano Maru*	Reg. 8.45 a.m. Letters 9.30 a.m.
Straits	*Van Heutsz*	10.00 a.m.
Straits	*Tantalus*	2.30 p.m.
Swatow	*Hydrangea*	3.00 p.m.
*Straits, East Africa via Mombasa and South Africa via Lourenco Marques and *South American Ports	*Wakasa Maru*	3.30 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	*Kochow*	4.00 p.m.
Saigon	*Telemachus*	4.30 p.m.
Amoy	*Tjimanuck*	5.00 p.m.
Manila, Australia, and New Zealand via Thursday Island due Thursday Island, 2nd December	*Taiping*	Parcels 5.00 p.m. Reg. 21st, 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Hai Ning*	Friday, 21st, 2.00 p.m.
Haiphong	*Canton*	2.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Siberia	*Kaiyan*	2.30 p.m. *Kowloon P.O.* Parcels 4.30 p.m. Reg. 2nd, 9.00 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m. *G.P.O.* Par. 21st, 8.00 p.m. Reg. 22nd, 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 20th December	*Karmala*	
Bangkok via Swatow	*Kwangchow*	Sunday, 23rd, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	*Canton Maru*	P.O. a.m.
Amoy via Swatow	*Anlung*	Monday, 24th, 10.30 a.m.
Manila and Sourabaya	*Tjisondari*	Tuesday, 25th, 9.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haiching*	1.00 p.m. *Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 1.00 p.m. Letters 1.00 p.m. *G.P.O.* Reg. 1.45 p.m. Letters 2.30 p.m.
Saigon, *Straits *Ceylon, *India, Aden, Egypt and *Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 26th Dec.	*Athos II*	*Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 4.30 p.m. Letters 4.30 p.m. *G.P.O.* Reg. 5.00 p.m. Letters 6.00 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 24th December	*Hector*	
Amoy	*Sui Sang*	5.00 p.m.
Swatow and Foochow	*Chip Shing*	5.00 p.m.
Sandakan	*Mamang*	Wednesday, 26th, 1.30 p.m.
Japan, Canada, U.S.A., C. and S. America and *Europe via Vancouver, B.C.—due Vancouver, B.C., 12th Dec.	*Emp. of Japan*	Parcels 3.00 p.m. Reg. 4.15 p.m. Letters 5.00 p.m.
Shanghai and *Europe via Siberia	*Emp. of Japan*	Reg. 5.00 p.m. Letters 6.00 p.m.
Amoy	*Tsinan*	3.30 p.m.
		Friday, 26th, 1.00 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haiyang*	*Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 4.30 p.m. Letters 4.30 p.m. *G.P.O.* Reg. 5.00 p.m. Letters 6.00 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 27th Dec.	*Hakozaki Maru*	
		DECEMBER— Tuesday, 2nd,
Manila	*Emp. of Asia*	3.30 p.m.

Supplemented outpondence only.

ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG.

ALEXANDRIA.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 30.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Dec. 14.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Dec. 28.

AMOY.
Haining, Douglas, Nov. 21.
Tjimanock, J.C.J.L., Nov. 22.
Antung, B. & S., Nov. 24.
Haiching, Douglas, Nov. 25.
Suisang, Jardine's Nov. 26.
Tsinan, B. & S., Nov. 26.
Haiyang, Douglas, Nov. 28.
Anhui, B. & S., Dec. 1.
Sirdhana, B.I., Dec. 2.
Namsang, Jardine's, Dec. 7.
Tilawa, B.I., Dec. 10.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Dec. 18.
Talamba, B.I., Dec. 28.

ANTWERP
Karmala, P. & O., Nov. 22, noon.
Danmark, Manners, Nov. 27.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 29.
Canton, Gilman's, Dec. 1.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.
Kalyan, P. & O., Dec. 20.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Dec. 20.
Java, Manners, Dec. 26.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 27.
Lahore, P. & O., Dec. 27.

AUSTRALIAN PORTS.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 21.
Tanda, E. & A., Dec. 5.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 23.
Changte, B. & S., Dec. 23.

BALTIC PORTS.
Danmark, Manners, Nov. 27.
Java, Manners, Dec. 26.

BALTIMORE.
Menestheus, B.F., Dec. 10.
Tweedbank, Bank, Dec. 12.

BANGKOK.
Helias, Thoresen, Nov. 23.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Nov. 23.
Helios, Thoresen, Nov. 30.
Kalgan, B. & S., Nov. 30.
Hirundo, Thoresen, Dec. 7.
Hiram, Thoresen, Dec. 14.

BELAWAN-DELI.
Van Heutsz, J.C.J.L., Nov. 20.
Cremer, J.C.J.L., Dec. 4.

BOMBAY
Cracovia, Dodwell's, Nov. 20.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 27.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Dec. 6.
Alipore, P. & O., Dec. 9.
Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Dec. 9.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Gange, Dodwell's, Dec. 25.

BOSTON
Asuka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 24.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 30.
Japanese Prince, Furness, Dec. 2.
Menestheus, B.F., Dec. 10.
Takaoka Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Tweedbank, Bank, Dec. 12.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Dec. 14.
Chinese Prince, Furness, Dec. 16.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Dec. 28.

BREMEN.
Alster, Melchers, Dec. 3.
Fulda, Melchers, Dec. 13.
Trave, Melchers, Dec. 18.
Mosel, Melchers, Dec. 28.

BRINDISI
Cracovia, Dodwell's, Nov. 20.
Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Dec. 9.
Gange, Dodwell's, Dec. 25.

CALCUTTA.
Talma, B.I., Nov. 29.
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 30.
Takada, B.I., Dec. 6.
Hakadate Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 8.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Dec. 8.
Yuensang, Jardine's, Dec. 15.
Sirdhana, B.I., Dec. 25.
Namsang, Jardine's, Dec. 27.
Tilawa, B.I., Dec. 29.

CASABLANCA.
Diomed, B.F., Dec. 9.

CEBU
Menestheus, B.F., Dec. 10.

CHEFOO.
Kueichow, B. & S., Nov. 21.
Huichow, B. & S., Dec. 2.

COLOMBO.
Cracovia, Dodwell's, Nov. 20.
Karmala, P. & O., Nov. 22.
Athos II, M.M., Nov. 25.
Hector, B.F., Nov. 26.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 27.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 30.
Anchises, B.F., Dec. 2.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Dec. 6.
Alipore, P. & O., Dec. 9.
Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Dec. 9.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Dec. 9.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Dakar Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 12.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Dec. 14.
Kalyan, P. & O., Dec. 20.
Aeneas, B.F., Dec. 23.
Angers, M.M., Dec. 23.
Gange, Dodwell's, Dec. 25.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 27.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Dec. 28.

COPENHAGEN.
Danmark, Manners, Nov. 27.
Java, Manners, Dec. 26.

DALNY.
Chenan, B. & S., Nov. 25.
Sarpedon, B.F., Dec. 13.

DUTCH PORTS.
Karmala, P. & O., Nov. 22, noon.
Oldenburg, Jebsen, Nov. 25.
Hector, B.F., Nov. 26.
Danmark, Manners, Nov. 27.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 29.
Canton, Gilman's, Dec. 1.
Anchises, B.F., Dec. 2.
Alster, Melchers, Dec. 3.
City of Roubaix, Bank, Dec. 5
Burgenland, Jebsen, Dec. 6.
Diomed, B.F., Dec. 9.
Agamemnon, B.F., Dec. 13.
Fulda, Melchers, Dec. 13.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.
Trave, Melchers, Dec. 18.
Kalyan, P. & O., Dec. 20.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Dec. 20.
Java, Manners, Dec. 26.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 27.
Lahn, Melchers, Dec. 27.
Mosel, Melchers, Dec. 28.

FOOCHOW.
Haining, Douglas, Nov. 21.
Haiching, Douglas, Nov. 25.
Chipshing, Jardine's, Nov. 26.
Haiyang, Douglas, Nov. 28.
Cheongshing, Jardine's, Nov. 30.

GENOA.
Cracovia, Dodwell's, Nov. 20.
Tantalus, B.F., Nov. 20.
Oldenburg, Jebsen, Nov. 25.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 30.
Burgenland, Jebsen, Dec. 6.
Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Dec. 9.
Dakar Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 12.
Fulda, Melchers, Dec. 13.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Dec. 14.
Cyclops, B.F., Dec. 20.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Dec. 20.
Gange, Dodwell's, Dec. 25.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Dec. 28.

GLASGOW.
Tantalus, B.F., Nov. 20.
Hector, B.F., Nov. 26.
Demodocus, B.F., Dec. 4.
Cyclops, B.F., Dec. 20.
Aeneas, B.F., Dec. 23.

HAMBURG.
Karmala, P. & O., Nov. 22, noon.
Oldenburg, Jebsen, Nov. 25.
Danmark, Manners, Nov. 27.
Canton, Gilman's, Dec. 1.
Anchises, B.F., Dec. 2.
Alster, Melchers, Dec. 3.
City of Roubaix, Bank, Dec. 5.
Burgenland, Jebsen, Dec. 6.
Diomed, B.F., Dec. 9.
Agamemnon, B.F., Dec. 13.
Fulda, Melchers, Dec. 13.
Trave, Melchers, Dec. 18.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Dec. 20.
Java, Manners, Dec. 26.
Lahore, P. & O., Dec. 27.
Mosel, Melchers, Dec. 28.

HAVRE.
Tantalus, B.F., Nov. 20.
Demodocus, B.F., Dec. 4.
Burgenland, Jebsen, Dec. 6.
Cyclops, B.F., Dec. 20.

HONOLULU
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 21.
Hakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 22.

ILOILO.
Menestheus, B.F., Dec. 10.

JAPAN PORTS
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Glenogle, Jardine's, Nov. 21.
Jeypore, P. & O., Nov. 21, p.m.
Kalyan, P. & O., Nov. 21, 4 p.m.
Antilochus, B.F., Nov. 24.
Asuka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 24.
Angers, M.M., Nov. 25.
Durban Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 25.
Suisang, Jardine's Nov. 26.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Nov. 26.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Nov. 27.
Protesilaus, B.F., Nov. 27.
Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 28.
Mentor, B.F., Nov. 29.
Mosel, Melchers, Nov. 29.
Moncalieri, Dodwell's, Nov. 30.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 30.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K. Dec. 2.
Sirdhana, B.I., Dec. 2.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 3.
Gange, Dodwell's, Dec. 4.
Ranchi, P. & O., Dec. 5.
Akita Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 6.
Bochum, Jebsen, Dec. 6.
Trave, Melchers, Dec. 18.
Kalyan, P. & O., Dec. 20.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Dec. 20.
Aeneas, B.F., Dec. 23.
Angers, M.M., Dec. 23.
Java, Manners, Dec. 26.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 27.
Lahore, P. & O., Dec. 27.
Mosel, Melchers, Dec. 28.

MANILA
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 21.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, Nov. 22.
Tjisondari, J.C.J.L., Nov. 25.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 30.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Dec. 2.
Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., Dec. 2.
Demodocus, B.F., Dec. 4.
Tanda, E. & A., Dec. 5.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M.L., Dec. 6.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., Dec. 9.
Menestheus, B.F., Dec. 10.
Fulda, Melchers, Dec. 13.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Dec. 14.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Dec. 17.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 23.
Changte, B. & S., Dec. 23.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Dec. 28.

MARSEILLES
Karmala, P. & O., Nov. 22, noon.
Athos II, M.M., Nov. 25.
Hector, B.F., Nov. 26.
Danmark, Manners, Nov. 27.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 30.
Anchises, B.F., Dec. 2.
Alster, Melchers, Dec. 3.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Dec. 6.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Dec. 9.
Diomed, B.F., Dec. 9.
Dakar Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 12.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Dec. 14.
Trave, Melchers, Dec. 18.
Kalyan, P. & O., Dec. 20.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Dec. 20.
Aeneas, B.F., Dec. 23.
Angers, M.M., Dec. 23.
Java, Manners, Dec. 26.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 27.
Lahore, P. & O., Dec. 27.
Mosel, Melchers, Dec. 28.

NAPLES.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 30.
Japanese Prince, Furness, Dec. 9.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Dec. 14.
Chinese Prince, Furness, Dec. 16.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 27.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Dec. 28.

NEW YORK, BOSTON, etc.
Asuka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 24.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 30.
Japanese Prince, Furness, Dec. 2.
Menestheus, B.F., Dec. 10.
Takaoka Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Tweedbank, Bank, Dec. 12.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Dec. 14.
Chinese Prince, Furness, Dec. 16.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Dec. 28.

NORTH CHINA PORTS.
Asuka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 24.
Takaoka Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Trier, Melchess, Dec. 17.

PANAMA
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Asuka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 24.
Takaoka Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Hakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 22.

PENANG
Van Heutsz, J.C.J.L., Nov. 20.
Karmala, P. & O., Nov. 22.
Hector, B.F., Nov. 26.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 27.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 29.
Talma, B.I., Nov. 29.
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 30.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 30.
Anchises, B.F., Dec. 2
Cremer, J.C.J.L., Dec. 4.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Dec. 6.
Takada, B.I., Dec. 6.
Hakadate Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 8.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Dec. 8.
Alipore, B. & O., Dec. 9.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Dec. 14.
Yuensang, Jardine's, Dec. 15.
Kalyan, P. & O., Dec. 20.
Aeneas, B.F., Dec. 23.
Sirdhana, B.I., Dec. 25.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 27.
Namsang, Jardine's, Dec. 27.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Dec. 28.
Tilawa, B.I., Dec. 29.

RABAUL.
Tanda, E. & A., Dec. 5.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, Dec. 12.

RANGOON.
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 30.
Hakadate Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 8.

SAIGON.
Athos II, M.M., Nov. 25.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Dec. 9.
Dakar Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 12.
Angers, M.M., Dec. 23.

SANDAKAN.
Mausang, Jardine's, Nov. 26.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Dec. 10.

SAN FRANCISCO.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Asuka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 24.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, Dec. 1.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Takaoka Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M.L., Dec. 16.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 21.
Hakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 22.

SCANDINAVIAN PORTS.
Danmark, Manners, Nov. 27.
Canton, Gilman's, Dec. 1.
Java, Manners, Dec. 26.

SEATTLE.
Protesilaus, B.F., Nov. 27.
Pres. Jackson, A.M.L., Nov. 25.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 3.
Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., Dec. 9.
Heian Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 18.
Teucer, B.F., Dec. 18.

SHANGHAI
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Glenogle, Jardine's, Nov. 21.
Java, Manners, Nov. 21.
Jeypore, P. & O., Nov. 21, p.m.
Kalyan, P. & O., Nov. 21, 4 p.m.
Tjimanock, J.C.J.L., Nov. 22.
Soochow, B. & S., Nov. 23.
Waishing, Jardine's, Nov. 23.
Antilochus, B.F., Nov. 24.

SHANGHAI.—*(Continued).*
Asuka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 24.
Angers, M.M., Nov. 25.
Durban Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 25.
Sunning, B. & S., Nov. 25.
Chaksang, Jardine's, Nov. 26.
Chenan, B. & S., Nov. 26.
Menestheus, B.F., Nov. 26.
Suisang, Jardine's, Nov. 26.
Tsinan, B. & S., Nov. 26.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Nov. 26.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Nov. 27.
Nanchang, B. & S., Nov. 27.
Mentor, B.F., Nov. 29.
Mosel, Melchers, Nov. 29.
Fooshing, Jardine's, Nov. 30.
Moncalieri, Dodwell's, Nov. 30.
Suiyang, B. & S., Nov. 30.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 30.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K. Dec. 2.
Sirdhana, B.I., Dec. 2.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 3.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, Dec. 3.
Gange, Dodwell's, Dec. 4.
Ranchi, P. & O., Dec. 5.
Akita Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 6.
Bochum, Jebsen, Dec. 6.
Philoctetes, B.F., Dec. 7.
Sphinx, M.M., Dec. 9.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Dec. 10.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Takaoka Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Glenshane, Jardine's, Dec. 13.
Sarpedon, B.F., Dec. 13.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 14.
Perim, P. & O., Dec. 16.
Kazembe, B.F., Dec. 17.
Trier, Melchers, Dec. 17
Heian Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 18.
Glenapp, Jardine's, Dec. 19.
Kashmir, P. & O., Dec. 20.
Glaucus, B.F., Dec. 21.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 21.
Duisburg, Jebsen, Dec. 23.
General Metzinger, M.M., Dec. 23.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Dec. 25.
Peru, Manners, Dec. 26.
Lahn, Melchers, Dec. 27.

SINGAPORE
Cracovia, Dodwell's, Nov. 20.
Tantalus, B.F., Nov. 20.
Van Heutsz, J.C.J.L., Nov. 20.
Wakasa Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Karmala, P. & O., Nov. 22.
Antung, B. & S., Nov. 24.
Athos II, M.M., Nov. 25.
Hector, B.F., Nov. 26.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 27.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 29.
Talma, B.I., Nov. 29.
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 30.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 30.
Anhui, B. & S., Dec. 1.
Anchises, B.F., Dec. 2.
Alster, Melchers, Dec. 3.
Cremer, J.C.J.L., Dec. 4.
Demodocus, B.F., Dec. 4.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Dec. 6.
Takada, B.I., Dec. 6.
Hakadate Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 8.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Dec. 8.
Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Dec. 9.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Dec. 9.
Diomed, B.F., Dec. 9.
Menestheus, B.F., Dec. 10.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Dakar Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 12.
Agamemnon, B.F., Dec. 13.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Dec. 14.
Yuensang, Jardine's, Dec. 15.
Kamakura Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 17.
Trave, Melchers, Dec. 18.
Cyclops, B.F., Dec. 20.
Kalyan, P. & O., Dec. 20.
Aeneas, B.F., Dec. 23.
Angers, M.M., Dec. 23.
Gange, Dodwell's, Dec. 25.
Sirdhana, B.I., Dec. 25
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 27.
Namsang, Jardine's, Dec. 27.
Mosel, Melchers, Dec. 28.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Dec. 28.
Tilawa, B.I., Dec. 29.

SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.
Tinhow, Bank, Nov. 20.
Wakasa Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Kamakura Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 17.

SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Wakasa Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 20.
Kamakura Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 17.
Hakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 22.

SWATOW.
Haining, Douglas, Nov. 21.
Kueichow, B. & S., Nov. 21.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Nov. 23.
Soochow, B. & S., Nov. 23.
Waishing, Jardine's, Nov. 23.
Antung, B. & S., Nov. 24.
Haiching, Douglas, Nov. 25.
Sunning, B. & S., Nov. 25.
Chaksang, Jardine's, Nov. 26.
Chipshing, Jardine's, Nov. 26.
Nanchang, B. & S., Nov. 27.
Haiyang, Douglas, Nov. 28.
Cheongshing, Jardine's, Nov. 30.
Fooshing, Jardine's, Nov. 30.
Kalgan, B. & S., Nov. 30.
Suiyang, B. & S., Nov. 30.
Huichow, B. & S., Dec. 2.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, Dec. 3.

TIENTSIN.
Kueichow, B. & S., Nov. 21.
Chipshing, Jardine's, Nov. 26.
Cheongshing, Jardine's, Nov. 30.
Huichow, B. & S., Dec. 2.

TRIESTE AND VENICE.
Cracovia, Dodwell's, Nov. 20.
Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Dec. 9.
Gange, Dodwell's, Dec. 25.

TSINGTAO
Soochow, B. & S., Nov. 23.
Waishing, Jardine's, Nov. 23.
Sunning, B. & S., Nov. 25.
Chaksang, Jardine's, Nov. 26.
Fooshing, Jardine's, Nov. 30.
Suiyang, B. & S., Nov. 30.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, Dec. 3.

VANCOUVER, B.C.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Nov. 27.
Protesilaus, B.F., Nov. 27.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 3.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Dec. 10.
Heian Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 18.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Dec. 25.

VICTORIA, B.C.
Pres. Jackson, A.M.L., Nov. 25.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Nov. 27.
Protesilaus, B.F., Nov. 27.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 3.
Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., Dec. 9.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Dec. 10.
Heian Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 18.
Teucer, B.F., Dec. 18.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Dec. 25.

VLADIVOSTOCK.
Glenogle, Jardine's, Nov. 21
Philoctetes, B.F., Dec. 7.
Glenshane, Jardine's, Dec. 13.
Glenapp, Jardine's, Dec. 19.

WEIHAIWEI.
Kueichow, B. & S., Nov. 21.
Huichow, B. & S., Dec. 2

EXPECTED ARRIVALS AND MOVEMENTS.

Agamemnon due from Japan Dec. 13.
Akita Maru due here Dec. 5.
Alipore due from Japan Dec. 9.
Alster due here Nov. 29.
Anchises due from Japan Dec. 2.
Angers due from Saigon Nov. 25.
Antilochus due from Singapore Nov. 24.
Asuka Maru due here Nov. 23.
Athos II due from Shanghai Nov. 25.
Atsuta Maru due here Dec. 22.
Bantam due from Sourabaya Nov. 20.
Benrinnes due from Singapore Nov. 22.
Bochum due from Europe Dec. 6.
Burgenland due here Dec. 6.
Calcutta Maru due here Nov. 26.
Changte due from Australia Dec. 16.
Chichibu Maru due here Dec. 1.
City of Corinth due from New York Dec. 6.
Cyclops due from Japan Dec. 20.
Dakar Maru due here Dec. 11.
Demodocus due from Tsingtau Dec. 4.
Diomed due from North China Ports Dec. 9.
Duisburg due from Europe Dec. 23.
Durban Maru due here Nov. 24.
Emp. of Asia due from Japan Dec. 1.
Emp. of Canada due from Vancouver Dec. 17.
Emp. of Japan due from Manila Nov. 24.
Emp. of Russia due Yokohama Nov. 20.
Glaucus due from Europe Dec. 21.
Glenogle due from Europe Nov. 21.
Glenshane due from Europe Dec. 8.
Hakodate Maru due here Dec. 7.
Hakozaki Maru due from Japan Nov. 28.
Hakusan Maru due here Dec. 26.
Hector due from Shanghai Nov. 25.
Heian Maru due here Dec. 15.
Hikawa Maru due here Dec. 2.
Ixion due from Vancouver Dec. 25.
Jeypore due from Singapore Nov. 21.
Kaga Maru due here Dec. 10.
Kalyan due from Singapore Nov. 21.
Kamakura Maru due here Dec. 16.
Kamo Maru due here Dec. 1.
Karmala due from Shanghai Nov. 21.
Kashmir due from Europe Dec. 19.
Kazembe due from Europe Dec. 17.
Lahn due from Europe Dec. 27.
Menestheus due from Singapore Nov. 26.
Mentor due from Europe Nov. 29.
Moncalieri due from Massaua Nov. 30.
Mosel due from Europe Nov. 29.
Muroran Maru due here Nov. 27.
Nagara due from Hamburg Nov. 19.
Oldenburg due here Nov. 25.
Penang Maru due here Nov. 29.
Perim due from Europe Dec. 15.
Philoctetes due from Europe Dec. 7.
Pres. Garfield due from Japan Nov. 29.
Pres. McKinley due from Japan Dec. 1.
Pres. Taft due from Shanghai Nov. 21.
Protesilaus due here Nov. 27.
Pyrrhus due from New York Dec. 10.
Rakuyo Maru due here Dec. 13.
Ranchi due from Europe Dec. 4.
Rawalpindi due from Japan Dec. 6.
Sarpedon due from Europe Dec. 12.
Shinyo Maru due here Dec. 17.
Sipora due from Samarinda Nov. 21.
Sirdhana due from Calcutta Nov. 30.
St. Albans due from Australian ports Dec. 7.
Suisang due from Singapore Nov. 23.
Taiping arrived from Manila Nov 14.
Taiyo Maru due from Shanghai Nov. 26.
Takada due from Japan Dec. 1.
Takaoka Maru due here Dec. 10.
Talma due from Japan Nov. 27.
Tanda due from Japan Dec. 3.
Tango Maru due here Nov. 29.
Tantalus due from Shanghai Nov. 20.
Tatsuta Maru due here Dec. 22.
Terukuni Maru due here Dec. 12.
Teucer due from Japan Nov. 27.
Tilawa due from Calcutta Dec. 8
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Hong Kong Observatory, November 1

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer..	30.13	30.23	30.18
Temperature	76	73	77
Humidity ..	65	63	43
Wind—			
Direction	E	E	ENE
Force ..	3	2	2
Weather ..	B	B	B
Rain ...	0.00	0.00	0.00

Highest open-air Temperature, 18: 72
Lowest open-air Temperature, 19: 65

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; R=Rain showers; Q=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From November 20 to 28, 1930.

Day of Week	Date of Month	High Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	Ht.	Low Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	Ht.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Thur.	20	m 10 3	5 5	m 3 32	1 6
		8 58 s	7 9	2 48 s	3 5
Fri.	21	m 11 2	5 2	m 4 14	1 3
		9 19 s	8 1	3 15 s	3 7
Sat.	22	0 3 s	4 8	m 4 56	1 1
		9 59 s	8 1	3 41 s	3 9
Sun.	23	1 7 s	4 5	m 5 40	1 2
		10 28 s	8 0	4 6 s	4 0
Mon.	24	2 16 s	4 4	m 6 28	1 4
		10 58 s	7 8	4 70 s	4 3
Tues.	25	11 31 s	7 4	m 7 23	1 6
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Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SOOCHOW"	On 23rd Nov.,	Daylight
Swatow & Bangkok	"KWANGCHOW"	On 23rd Nov.,	10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy, Swatow & S'pore	"ANTUNG"	On 24th Nov.,	Noon
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SUNNING"	On 25th Nov.,	Daylight
Santuao, Shanghai & Dalny	"CHENAN"	On 26th Nov.,	5 p.m.
Amoy & Shanghai	"TSINAN"	On 26th Nov.,	5 p.m.
Swatow & Shanghai	"NANCHANG"	On 27th Nov.,	Daylight
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SUIYANG"	On 30th Nov.,	Daylight
Swatow & Bangkok	"KALGAN"	On 30th Nov.,	10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy, Swatow & S'pore	"ANHUI"	On 1st Dec.,	Noon
Swatow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	"HUICHOW"	On 2nd Dec.,	Daylight

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STATION	NOVEMBER 1, 1930. Hong Kong Standard Time	Barometer at Sea Level. Inches	Millibs.	Temperature	Variation	Wind. Direction	Force (Beaufort)	Weather (Beaufort)	NOVEMBER 19, 1930 Hong Kong Standard Time	Barometer at Sea Level. Inches	Millibs.	Temperature	Variation	Wind. Direction	Force (Beaufort)	Weather (Beaufort)
Wladivostock	12	30.54	775.6	32	...	...	0	c	6	30.49	774.1	37	...	SE	6	o
Nemuro	11	30.22	767.5	...	...	NW	2	...	5	30.57	776.5	...	...	NNW	2	...
Hakodate	"	30.30	769.0	...	...	WNW	4	...	"	30.63	778.0	...	...	...	0	...
Tokio	"	30.33	770.5	...	...	NNW	3	...	"	30.61	777.5	...	...	NW	1	...
Kochi	"	30.41	772.5	...	...	NW	1	...	"	30.43	773.0	...	...	...	0	...
Nagasaki	"	30.45	773.5	...	...	SSE	1	...	"	30.36	771.0	...	...	NE	1	...
Kagoshima	"	30.39	772.0	...	...	NE	1	...	"	30.34	770.5	...	...	WNW	1	...
Oshima	"	30.33	770.5	...	...	NNE	2	...	"	30.24	768.0	...	...	E	1	...
Naha	"	30.28	769.0	...	...	NNE	2	...	"	30.16	766.0	...	...	NNE	2	...
Ishigakijima	"	30.26	768.5	...	...	ENE	2	...	"	30.14	765.5	...	...	NNE	1	...
Bonin Island	"	30.18	766.5	...	...	NE	2	...	"	30.24	768.0	...	...	E	2	...
Chefoo	13	30.13	765.3	60	...	SSW	2	b	6	29.98	761.5	46	...	W	4	o
Shanghai	14	30.30	769.6	68	8	SSE	4	b	"	30.26	768.5	49	6	SSW	2	b
Gutzlaff	"	30.35	770.9	64	...	SSE	4	b	"	30.30	769.6	58	...	SE	4	b
Wenchow	"	30.33	770.5	67	8	NNE	2	b	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foochow	"	30.22	767.6	65	8	N	2	b	7	30.19	766.8	62	8	NW	2	b
Amoy	"	30.17	766.3	74	6	NW	2	b	6	30.14	765.5	60	8	NW	4	bf
Swatow	"	30.13	765.3	70	...	E	3	b	"	30.09	764.3	59	...	NW	1	b
Taihoku	11	30.23	767.9	77	...	ENE	4	b3	5	30.17	766.2	63	...	E	2	b
Taichu	"	30.17	766.4	81	...	...	0	b	"	30.16	766.0	58	...	...	0	b
Tainan	"	30.17	766.4	83	...	SW	2	b	"	30.10	764.6	61	...	...	0	b
Koshun	"	30.16	766.0	76	...	NE	0	b	"	30.08	763.9	72	...	NNE	4	b
Pescadores	"	30.17	766.4	77	...	NE	0	b	"	30.13	764.9	70	...	NNE	4	b
Hong Kong	14	30.15	765.8	71	7	ESE	3	b	6	30.18	766.6	66	6	N	2	c
Gap Rock	"	30.16	766.0	72	7	ENE	5	b	"	30.15	765.8	71	7	NE	4	c
Macao	"	30.14	765.5	76	6	E	2	b	"	30.15	765.7	63	4	NNE	2	c
Hoihow	"	30.12	765.0	76	...	NE	3	b	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pratas Island	"	30.09	764.4	76	8	NE	6	c	6	30.10	764.4	72	6	NNE	4	c
Phulien	15	30.13	765.3	79	6	SSE	2	bc	7	30.19	766.9	65	6	N	2	b
Tourane	"	29.94	763.0	70	6	NNW	4	r	"	30.08	764.0	74	8	ENE	8	c
Cape St. James	"	29.90	759.4	83	6	SE	2	r	"	29.91	759.7	74	6	N	2	c
Basco	14	30.03	762.7	79	8	ENE	4	bc	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aparri	"	29.98	761.5	79	4	NNE	4	r	"	29.97	761.3	77	4	NE	4	o
Tuguegarao	"	29.94	760.6	77	2	N	2	r	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vigan	"	29.85	759.2	86	8	N	6	o	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manila	"	29.85	758.8	86	8	NE	4	o	"	29.88	758.8	74	8	...	0	bc
Legaspi	"	29.81	757.2	86	6	NNE	4	o	"	29.83	757.6	74	6	...	0	b
Calboyog	"	29.79	756.7	84	8	SW	4	bc	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tacloban	"	29.78	756.3	91	8	SE	2	bc	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Iloilo	"	29.80	757.0	91	8	E	2	b	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cebu	"	29.78	756.9	91	8	NE	4	b	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surigao	...	29.78	756.5	83	8	N	2	b	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saipan	11.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guam	12.22	29.79	756.7	...	6	E	4	o	4.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yap	11.00	29.82	757.4	...	6	W	2	bc	5	29.83	757.6	...	8	NNW	2	bc
Pelew	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Labuan	14	29.82	757.4	86	...	W	4	b	6	29.83	757.7	78	...	S	2	b

November 19*d*. 10*h*. 05*m*.—The anticyclone is situated over central Japan; a depression indicated to the north-west of Shantung.

Fresh to moderate monsoon will prevail over the China Sea.

Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0·00 inch. Total since January 1, 95·19 inches, against an average of 81·53 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON NOVEMBER 20.

DISTRICT.	FORECAST.
1.—Formosa Channel 2.—South coast of China between Hong Kong and Lamocks 3.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock 4.—South coast of China between Hong Kong and Hainan	N.E. winds, moderate; fine.

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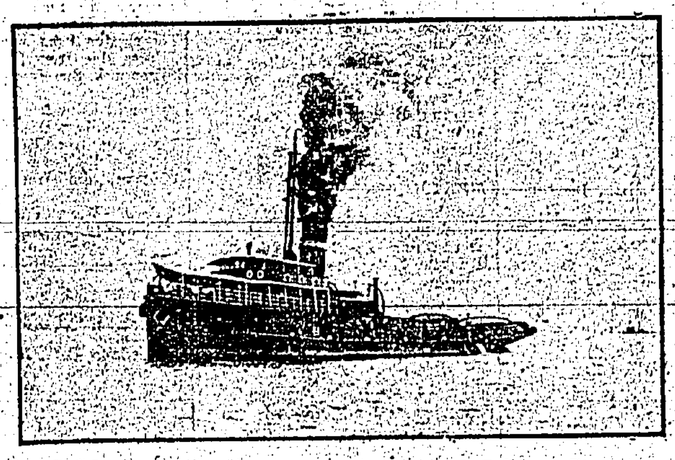

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	"TOOSHING"	Sun., 30th Nov., at 7 a.m.
	"KWAISANG"	Wed., 3rd Dec., at 7 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"KUMSANG"	Mon., 8th Dec., at 3 p.m.
	"YUENSANG"	Mon., 15th Dec., at 3 p.m.
	"NAMSANG"	Satur., 27th Dec., at 3 p.m.
OSAKA via AMOY, S'HAI., MOJI & KOBE	"SUISANG"	Wed., 26th Nov., at 7 a.m.
OSAKA via AMOY, MOJI & KOBE	"NAMSANG"	Sun., 7th Dec., at 7 a.m.
	"KUTSANG"	Thurs., 18th Dec., at 7 a.m.
SANDAKAN	"MAUSANG"	Wed., 26th Nov., at 3 p.m.
	"RINSANG"	Wed., 10th Dec., at Noon.
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Empress of Russia*	Jan. 7	Jan. 10	Jan. 13	Jan. 15	Jan. 24
Empress of Japan	Feb. 5	Feb. 8	Feb. 10	Feb. 12	Feb. 20
Empress of Asia*	Feb. 18	Feb. 21	Feb. 24	Feb. 26	Mar. 7
Empress of Canada	Mar. 5	Mar. 8	Mar. 10	Mar. 12	Mar. 20
Empress of Russia*	Mar. 18	Mar. 21	Mar. 24	Mar. 26	Apr. 4
Empress of Japan	Apr. 1	Apr. 4	Apr. 7	Apr. 9	Apr. 17
Empress of Asia*	Apr. 10	Apr. 13	Apr. 16	Apr. 18	Apr. 27
Empress of Canada†	Apr. 25	Apr. 28	Apr. 30	May 2	May 14
Empress of Russia*	May 8	May 11	May 14	May 16	May 25
Empress of Japan‡	May 23	May 26	May 28	May 30	June 10
Empress of Asia*	June 5	June 8	June 11	June 13	June 22

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IMPORTS 12,280 TONS; THROUGH CARGO 10,700 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office, of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports.
British		
Albion Star, Liverpool	2,243	—
Hong Hwa, Swatow	—	500
Taiyuan, Amoy	350	900
Kingyuan, Canton	—	320
Soochow, Tsingtao	560	1,100
Luchow, Canton	—	32
Waishing, Canton	—	125
Haining, Foochow	764	—
Hydrangea, Swatow	112	—
	4,029	2,997
Dutch		
Tjikampek, Batavia	4,400	3,200
Van Heutsz, Swatow	—	800
	4,400	4,000
German		
Fulda, Manila	378	2,339
Dorry, Tsingtao	700	900
	1,078	3,239
Japanese		
Wakasa Maru, Miike	536	1,897
Honolulu Maru, Moji	533	4,771
Deli Maru, Canton	—	120
Canton Maru, Keelung	991	—
Yei Maru, Hongay	700	2,000
	2,750	9,468
Chinese		
Tak Hing, Autow	27	—
	27	—
Total	12,284	19,704

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

	Arr.	Dep.
British	9	8
Dutch	2	0
German	2	2
Japanese	5	6
Chinese	2	1
Swedish	0	1
American	0	1
Portuguese	0	1
Total	20	20

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Hong Hwa (Br.) Amoy, Swatow	199
Taiyuan (Br.) Shanghai, Amoy	138
Soochow (Br.) Tsingtao, Swatow	126
Haining (Br.) Foochow, Swatow	141
Hydrangea (Br.) Swatow	140
Tjikampek (Dutch) Batavia, Manila	236
Canton Maru (Jap.) Kee lung, Swatow	93
Tak Hing (Chi.) Autow	91
Total	1,164

ARRIVALS.

November 18.

Albion Star, British str., 4,008 tons, Captain C. W. Phillips, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—Dodwell & Co.

Deli Maru, Japanese str., 1,263 tons, Captain Y. Sanada, from Canton, O.S.K. Pier.—O.S.K.

Tantalus, British str., 4,782 tons, Capt. Dodds, from Shanghai, buoy No. A2.—B. & S.

Tjikampek, Dutch str., 4,001 tons, Capt. J. C. G. de Graaff, from Manila, buoy No. A6.—J.C.J.L.

November 19.

Canton, French str., 976 tons, Capt. F. Morvan, from Haiphong, buoy No. B17.—M.M.

Canton Maru, Japanese str., 2,826 tons, Capt. Y. Imasaki, from Swatow, O.S.K. Wharf.—O.S.K.

Chak Sang, British str., 1,470 tons, Captain J. McAnish, from Swatow, West Point Wharf.—J. M. & Co.

Emp. of Japan, British str., 26,033 tons, Capt. S. Robinson, C.B.E., R.D., R.N.R., from Vancouver, Kowloon Wharf.—C.P.S.

Haining, British str., 832 tons, Capt. A. H. Stewart, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Captain P. W. Grierson, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf.—Chiu On & Co.

King Yuan, British str., 1,546 tons, Capt. J. D. Whyte, from Canton, buoy No. B34.—B. & S.

Kitano Maru, Japanese str., 4,026 tons, Capt. M. Nakamura, from Yokohama *viâ* Nagasaki, Kowloon Wharf.—N.Y.K.

Lancashire, British str., 5,869 tons, Capt. C. A. Harris, from Singapore, Navy Yard.—B. & S.

Luchow, British str., 1,221 tons, Captain W. T. Paul, from Canton, buoy No. C14.—B. & S.

Solviken, Norwegian str., 1,435 tons, Capt. N. Norvalls, from Singapore *viâ* Hoihow, buoy No. C18.—Wallem & Co.

Soochow, British str., 1,394 tons, Capt. P. J. Green, from Swatow, buoy No. B13.—B. & S.

Troeas, British str., 4,277 tons, Capt. J. H. G. Grant, from Balikpapan, North Point Wharf.—A.P.C.

Van Heutsz, Dutch str., 2,749 tons, Capt. J. Groothoff, from Swatow, buoy No. A3.—J.C.J.L.

Waishing, British str., 1,170 tons, Capt. G. K. Hudson, from Canton, buoy No. B32.—J. M. & Co.

Wakasa Maru, Japanese str., 6,070 tons, Capt. Naotaro Komiyama, from Yokohama *viâ* Moji, Kowloon Wharf.—N.Y.K.

Wing Lee, Portuguese str., 641 tons, Capt. Jose Antunes, from K. C. Wan, buoy No. B21.—Wo Hop & Co.

CLEARANCES.

November 19.

Asama Maru, for Shanghai.
Bokuyo Maru, for Nagasaki.
Chak Sang, for Canton.
Deli Maru, for Swatow.
Emp. of Japan, for Manila.
Kitano Maru, for Melbourne.
King Yuan, for Amoy.
Kojun Maru, for Dairen.
Luchow, for Dalny.
Soochow, for Canton.
Tai Yuan, for Canton.
Tantalus, for Singapore.
Tjipanas, for Shanghai.
Van Heutsz, for Singapore.
Yei Maru, for Canton.

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†"KALYAN"	9,144	20th Dec.	Mars., L'don., Hull, H'bg., R'dm. & A'werp.
*"LAHORE"	5,304	27th Dec., [Mars., 1931	L'don., Hull, H'bg., R'dm, & A'werp.
"RANCHI"	16,650	3rd Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*"JEYPORE"	5,318	10th Jan. [Mars.,	L'don., Hull, H'bg., R'dm. & A'werp.
"KASHMIR"	8,985	17th Jan.	Mars., L'don., Hull, R'dm. & A'werp.
"COMORIN"	15,132	31st Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
*"PERIM"	7,648	7th Feb.	Marseilles, London and Hull.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	14th Feb.	Marseilles & London.
"MALWA"	10,980	28th Feb.	do.
"KHIVA"	9,135	7th Mar.	Marseilles, London and Hull.
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"RAWALPINDI"	16,619	28th Mar.	do.
"KARMALA"	9,128	11th Apr.	do.
"RAJPUTANA"	16,568	25th Apr.	do.
"KALYAN"	9,144	9th May	do.
"COMORIN"	15,132	23rd May	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
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"KALYAN"	9,144	21st Nov., 4 p.m.	do.
"SIRDHANA"	7,745	2nd Dec.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
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"KASHMIR"	8,985	20th Dec.	do.
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"COMORIN"	15,132	3rd Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"TALMA"	10,000	12th Jan.	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	17th Jan.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"KHIVA"	9,135	24th Jan.	do.
"MALWA"	10,980	31st Jan.	do.
"KHYBER"	9,114	14th Feb.	do.
"RAWALPINDI"	16,619	28th Feb.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama
"KARMALA"	9,128	14th Mar.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama
"RAJPUTANA"	16,586	27th Mar.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"KALYAN"	9,144	10th Apr.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"COMORIN"	15,132	24th Apr.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KASHMIR"	8,985	8th May	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
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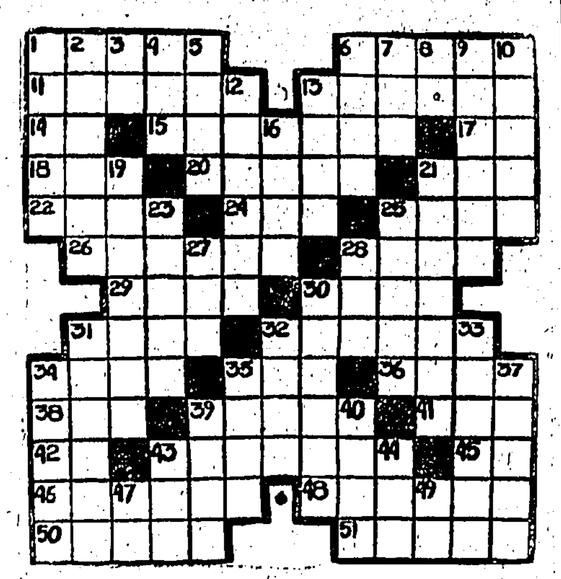

HORIZONTAL

1.—Small rodent.
6.—Explosion.
11.—To entreat.
13.—Speaker.
14.—Prefix: double.
15.—Ensnared.
17.—Behold.
18.—Finish.
20.—Enticed.
21.—Small piece.
22.—To jump.
24.—To put on.
25.—Communists.
26.—Covered with cloth.
28.—Evil deeds.
29.—Prevaricated.
30.—Stockings.
31.—Capacity measure.
32.—Lined.
34.—To rave.
35.—Box for storage.
36.—To cease.
38.—Unit of energy.
39.—Triangular river mouth.
41.—To hasten.
42.—Mother.
43.—Those who make pottery.
45.—Toward.
46.—Persons of weak intellect.
48.—To cause to lose hearing.
50.—Cares for.
51.—Heavenly bodies.

VERTICAL

1.—Girl's name.
2.—Judged.
3.—Above.
4.—To place.
5.—Royal title.
6.—Brought up.
7.—Boy.
8.—By.
9.—Compact figures.
10.—Jogs.
12.—Praised.
13.—Unlocked.
16.—To urge.
19.—Beloved one.
21.—Under.
23.—To apply color.
25.—Gets up.
27.—To fondle.
28.—Offspring.
30.—Suggested.
31.—March.
32.—Song.
33.—To linger.
34.—To send back.
35.—Wagers.
37.—Mexican serfs.
39.—Spots.
40.—Greek war god.
43.—Seed container.
44.—Rested.
47.—Within.
49.—Musical note.

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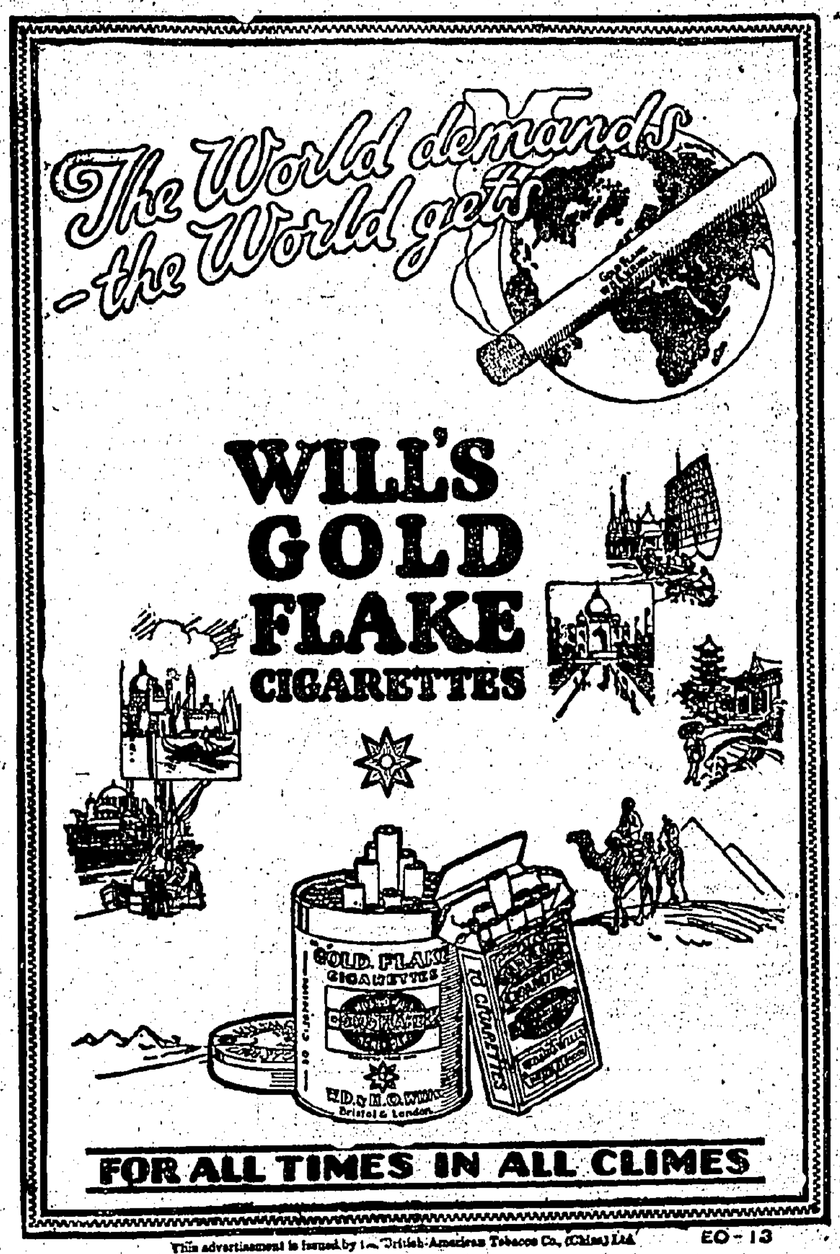

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